Paw Prints

BALLINGER HIGH SCHOOL

better memories that we can cherish as much as we do those of the past. Although they may not be as good. (We can always try.) I guess I've reminisced enough, now its time to say goodbye, be careful and I hope we both end up happily married to a rich cowboy before second semester this next year.

Love You,
Jinx
Sniers
'68'

Hail, Hail, the gangs all here

Right behind the Bearcats.

Hail, Hail, the gangs all here

Right behind the Bearcats now.

Bearcats, Bearcats, come on through

We are right behind you.

Bearcats, Bearcats, come on through

We are right behind you now.

Martha Pitt

Received For Print

Martha!

Well what can I say. You know you mean more to me than I would ever be able to write down for you. It has made me feel like someone to be a friend to you. Your friendship means the world to me Martha. I love you so much that if you went to College any place but in Angelo I think my heart would break. As far back as I can remember I've always wished for a friend I could call my best friend! I was always different not many of the kids ever had much to do with me. Then I met you and not until Jennifers little party that night did I finally realize maybe we could become best of friends. You just don't know what a change that made in me. You made me feel a part of the rest of the crowd. Martha if ever I'm dashing think I would just die I'll as though you are more to me than a friend. My folks love you too. You will always be welcome in our house. Well even though I didn't go on the Trail Senior with you I won't hurt to bad for I made up for it with your friendship afterwards. I don't know what it is but I have felt closer to you than I ever did since you came home from the Senior Trip. I guess we were kinda like me. You didn't realize how close the departing hour really was until you came home and saw all your friends holding hands, crying and saying good bye to good ole times, B. H. S., and friends. I hope we will still be as close when we are in San Angelo as we are now. Remember the good ole Rowena Hoy's & dances. Those were the good ole days. Now its time to look into the future and make newer and

Here's a toast to those old Bearcats,

Hail to the grand old boys;

Fight, fight is our motto; fight until the end.

If you think we don,t have spirt, just watch

the grand old drive

Fight, fight, until the end and victory is ours.

Reserved for Sally

If you have learned to walk
A little more sure-footedly than I,
Be patient with my stumbling then
And know that only as I do my best and try
May I attain the goal
For which we both are striving.

If through experience, your soul
Has gained heights which I
As yet in dim-lit vision see,
Hold out your hand and point the way,
Lest from its straightness I should stray,
And challenge the future with me.

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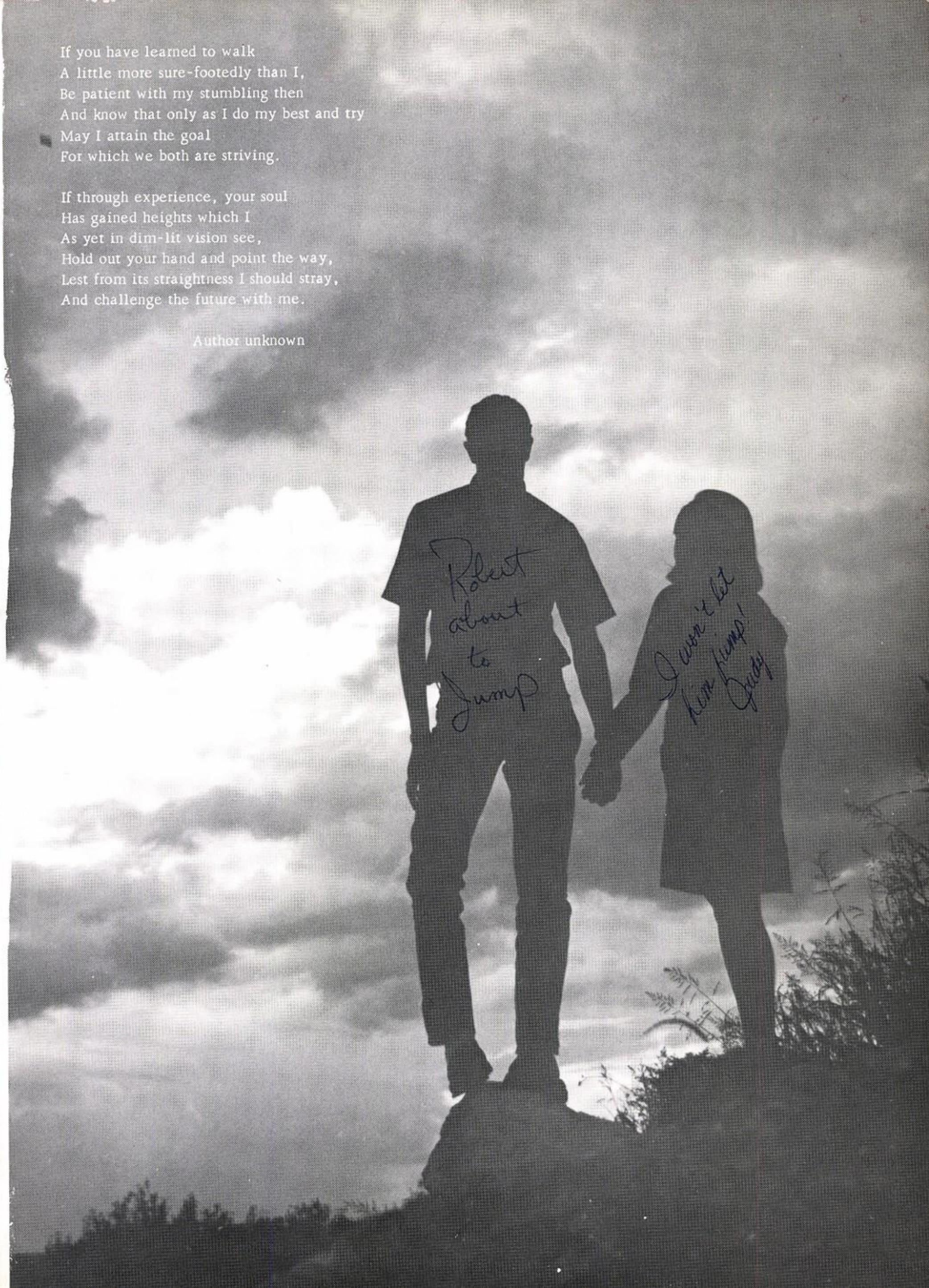

PAW PRINTS

Foreword

One step at a time we get an education. We build for a future that gives no hint of what is to come--perhaps the next step will take us to Viet Nam--perhaps to the exciting realm of advanced learning in college--even to the challenge of a job in the business world.

"Challenge of the future" is a time-worn phrase but the fact remains that all students do face the challenge from the moment they enter high school until they become established in a career or profession.

Progress is slow and painful with the never-ceasing trials of growing up, but we all have to face the future and we should begin preparing for it now while we are young.

As you turn the pages of this 1968 PAW PRINTS we hope you will accept our challenge--"The Challenge of the Future."

Editor
Debbie Witt

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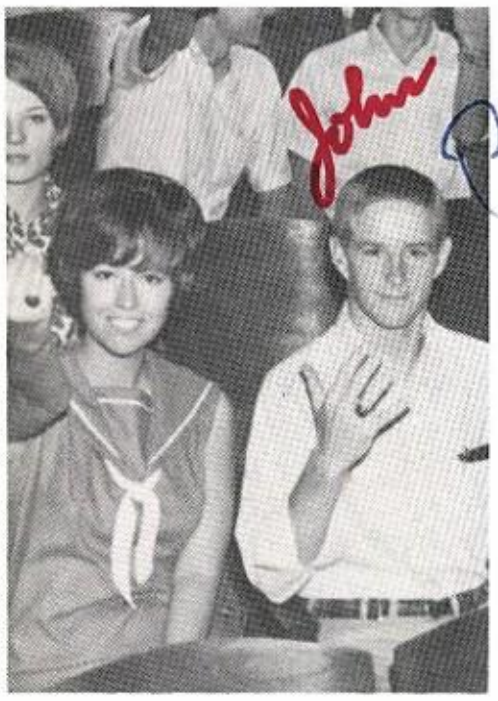

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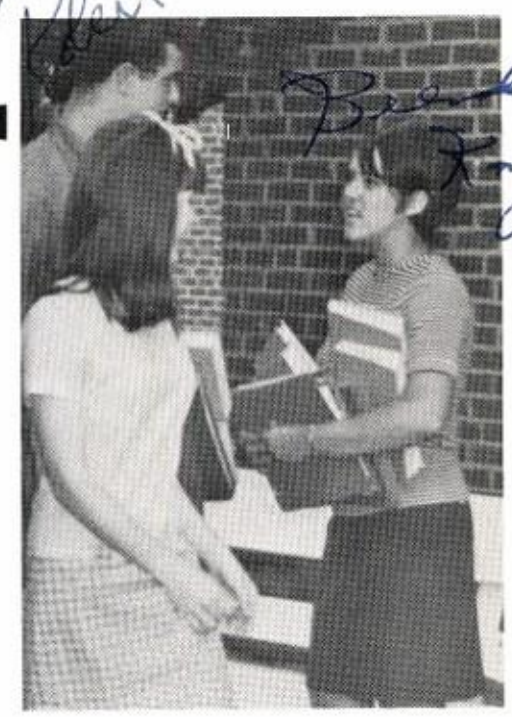

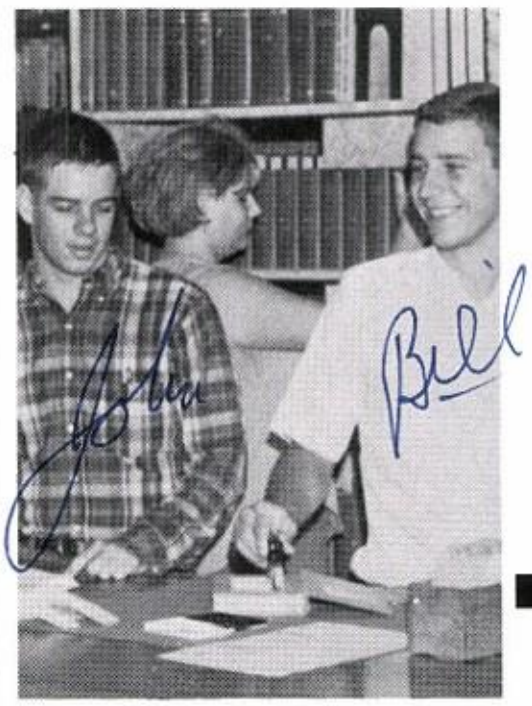

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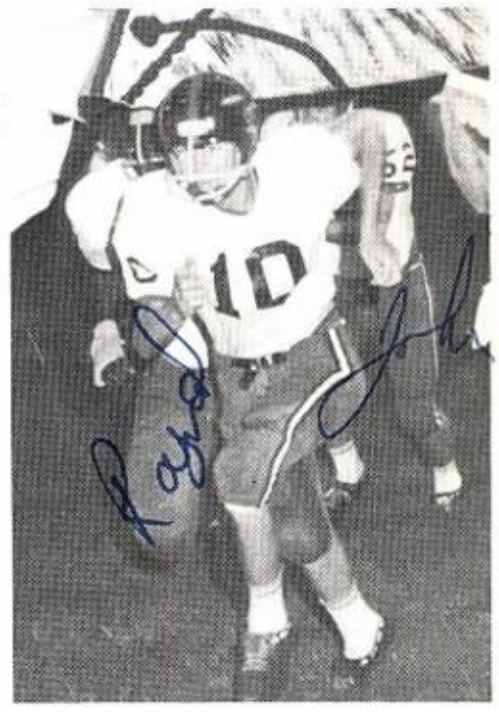

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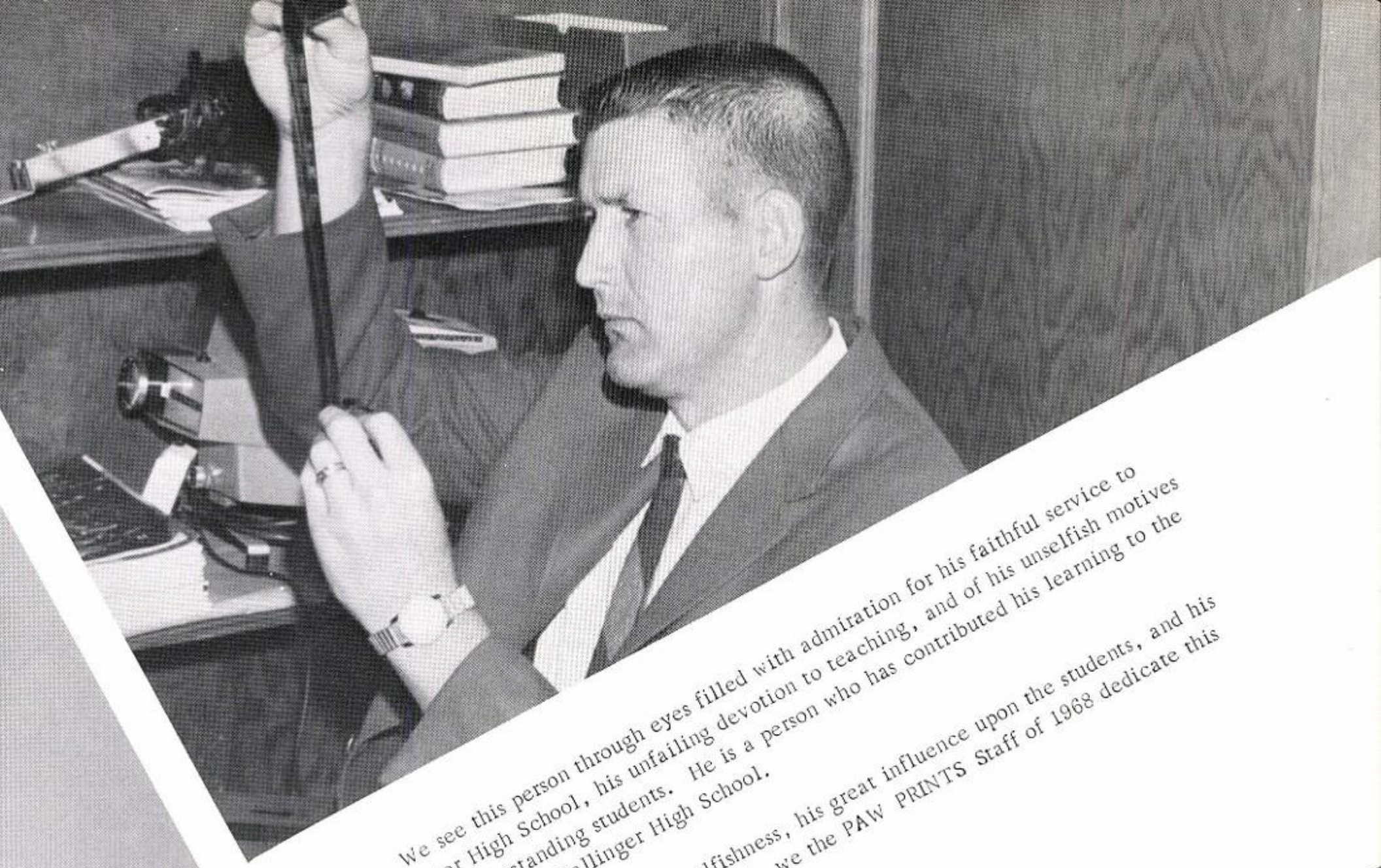

We see this person through eyes filled with admiration for his faithful service to Ballinger High School, his unfailing devotion to teaching, and of his unselfish motives toward understanding students. He is a person who has contributed his learning to the advancement of Ballinger High School.

In recognition of his unselfishness, his great influence upon the students, and his kindness and consideration for all, we the PAW PRINTS Staff of 1968 dedicate this year's edition to Coach Don Flippen.

School Board

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President

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Superintendent

Mrs. L. A. Wilbanks

Alvin Spreen

Robert F. McGarvey
Vice-President

The members of the Board of Trustees take this opportunity to express their appreciation to the student body, the faculty and Administration for making the Ballinger School system one of which we can all be proud. It will always be the purpose of this Board to assist in any way possible the continued growth and progress of our schools and to make them the finest to be found anywhere in our state. We are all proud and happy to be a part of this effort.

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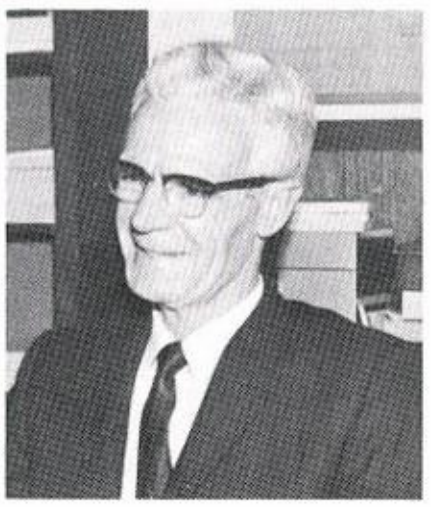


Foy Farmer
Recording Secretary

ADMINISTRATION

As time goes by, teaching methods will change greatly. With the advent of computers, and other machines of the future, we will be able to understand unheard of ideas and do great things. But even with all these achievements, human values will never be replaced.

Dear Students,

I am extremely proud of the students in Ballinger High School. You have been good representatives of the school in your scholastic, musical, and athletic endeavors.

It is my hope that you will continue to be a credit to the school and the community. May you have success and happiness.

Sincerely,

Dick Richey

Dick Richey, Superintendent

Dear Students:

Your unmatched loyalty and cooperation and your exceptionally high standards of personal conduct and academic achievement have been a source of pleasure to those of us who have worked with and for you.

As we close out a high school career together, it is my sincere wish that our association has been profitable to you.

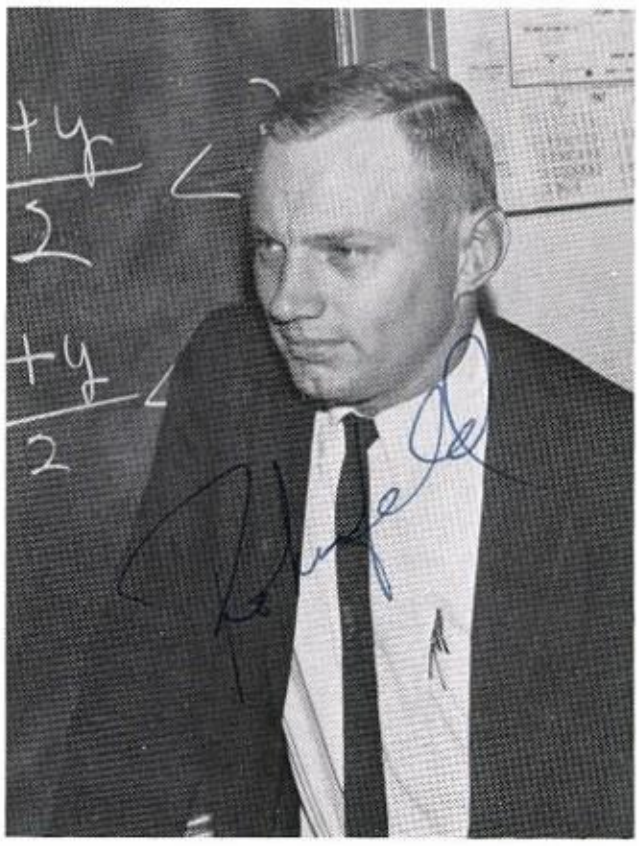
I wish to thank the faculty and students for the many contributions made to our school. May the future student bodies always place the school and community above self. May you work more diligently toward keeping our school ranking high in all phases of school life.

Sincerely,

Joe A. Forester

Joe A. Forester, Principal

Mrs. Lee Parker
Spanish I and II
B. A., Daniel Baker
M. Ed., Hardin-Simmons
Nebraska University
Hobby: reading



Mr. Willie Rohmfeld, Jr.
Math
B. S., Southwest Texas State College
Hobbies: hunting and fishing

Mr. Weldon
Brevard
History
Coach
B. S.; M. Ed.,
McMurry
Hobbies: hunting
and sports

Mrs. H. Rountree
English
World History
B. S., Daniel
Baker
Hobbies: dogs
and cooking

Mrs. J. T. Isbell
Secretary
Hobby: cooking

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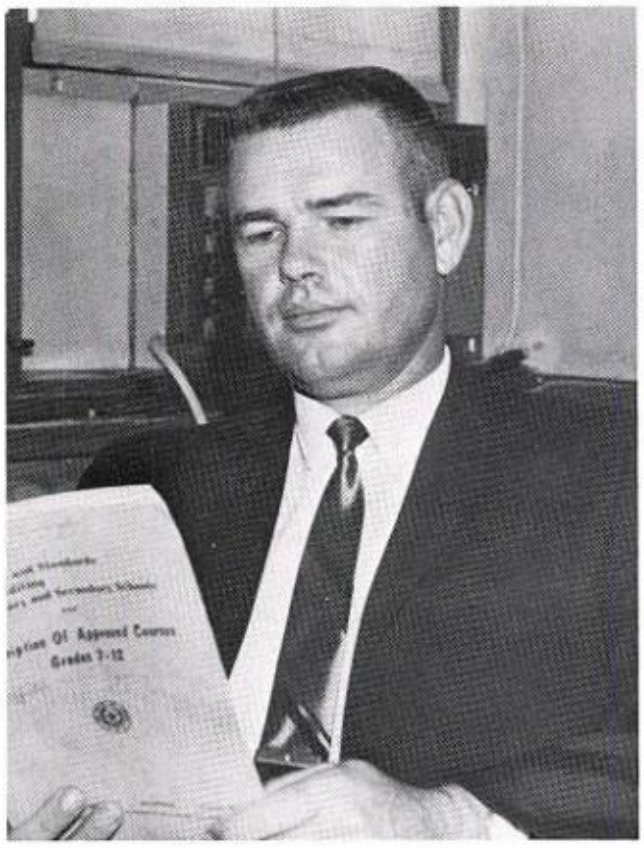
Algebra
Geometry
Coach
B. A., Midwestern University
Hobbies: reading and sports



Mr. James Pennington
Supervisor
B. S., Wayland College
M. Ed., Sul Ross State College
Hobbies: hunting and fishing

Mrs. John Krupala
Home Economics
B. S., Texas Woman's University
Hobbies: cooking and sewing

Mrs. Foy Farmer
Secretary
B. A., Hardin-Simmons
Hobby: reading

Mr. J. Weldon Moore
Band
B. S., McMurry
Hobby: music

Mr. Dale E. Ellis
Choir
B. M., Howard Payne College
Hobby: mechanics

Mrs. Oran W. Bigby
Home Economics
B. S., Texas Women's University
Hobbies: sewing and handwork

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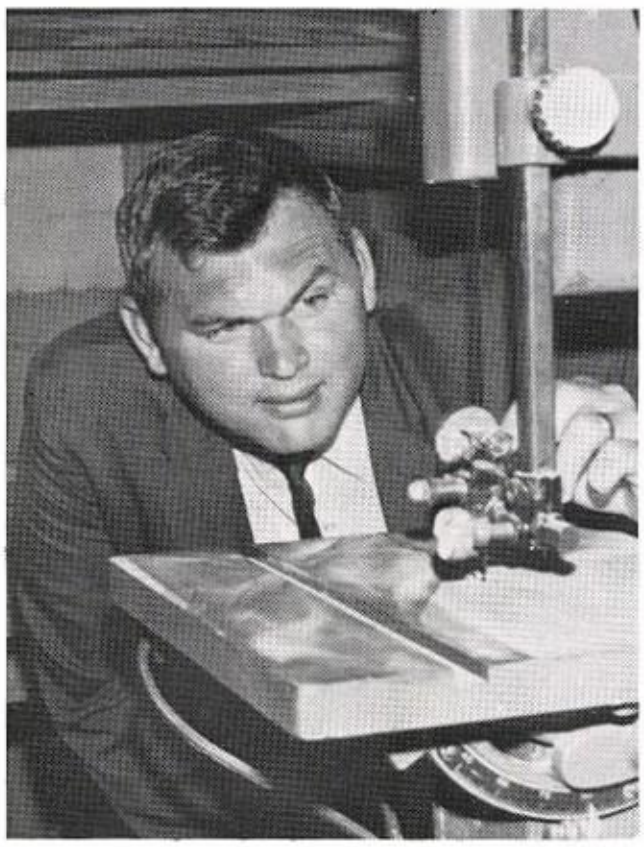
English
B. A., Sul Ross
M.A., Hardin-Simmons
Hobbies: sewing, yard work, and reading
Minnie R. Ruble

Mr. M. E. Sweeney
Chemistry
Physics
Biology
B. A.; M. A., Hardin-Simmons
Hobbies: hunting and fishing

Mrs. W. N. Selby
Shorthand
Bookkeeping
B. S., North Texas
Hobbies: reading and playing bridge

Mr. L. W. Kiesling
Vocational Ag
B. S., Texas Tech
M. A., Sul Ross
Hobbies: hunting and fishing



Mr. Curtis Traweek
Industrial Arts
B. S., West Texas State
Hobbies: water skiing and boating

Mrs. W. O. Middleton
Librarian
B. S., McMurray
Hobbies: reading and yard work

Mr. Don Flippin
Civics
History
Coach
B. S., McMurry
Hobby: hunting

Mrs. Josephine Stallings
English
Journalism
B. A., University of Texas
Hobby: reading

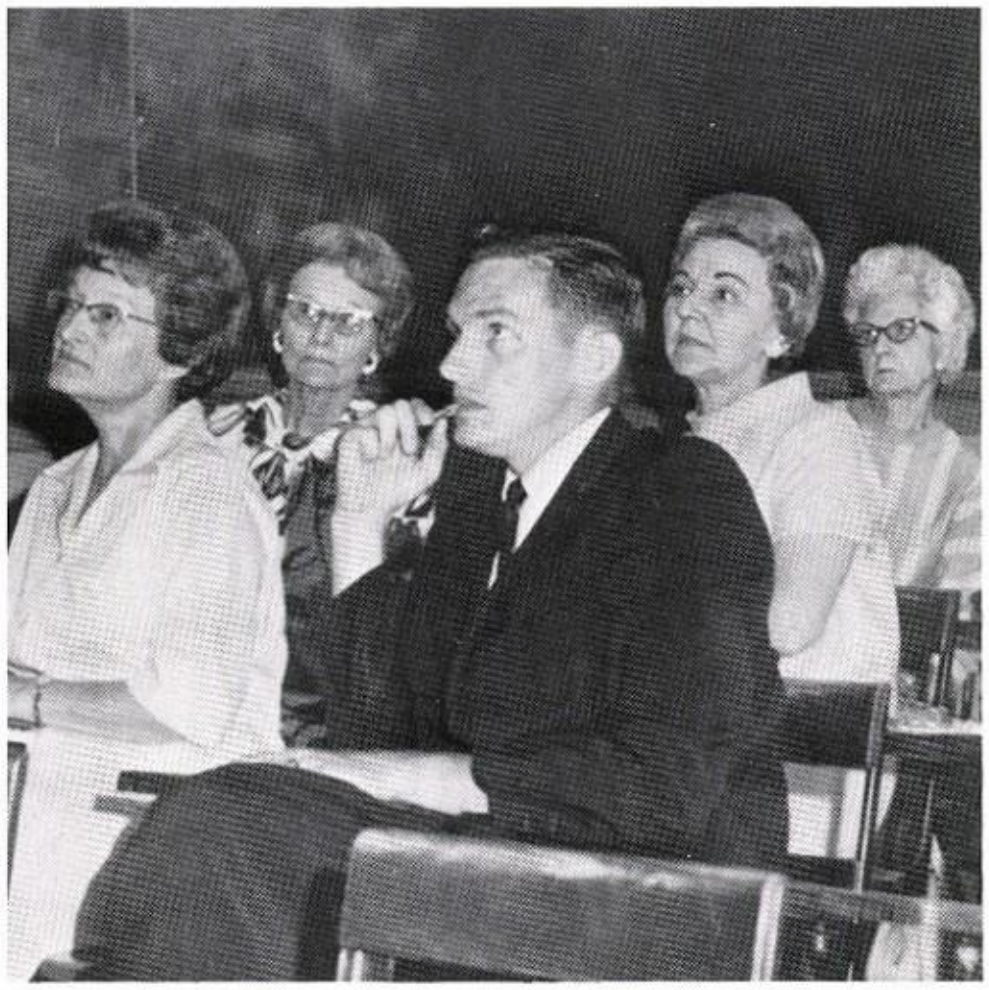
Mrs. T. L. Epting
Commercial
B. S., North Texas
Hobby: reading

Mrs. J. Pennington
Secretary
Hobby: sewing

Mrs. E. L. Jorgenson
Office Assistant
North Texas State University
Angelo State College

Ballinger welcomes the new faculty members.

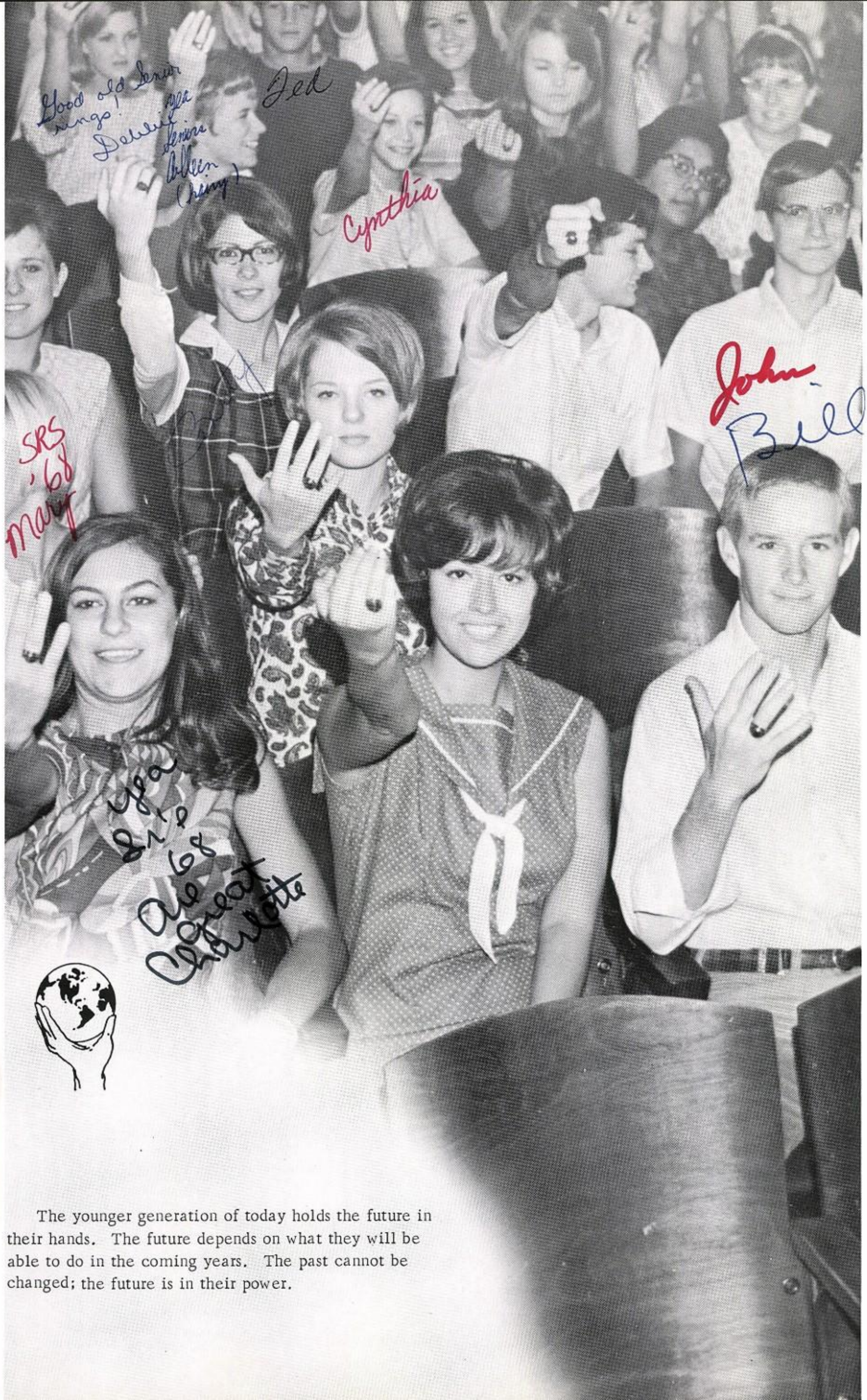
What are you looking at Mrs. Parker?



These teachers seem very interested in what Mr. Forester is saying.

Oh, boy! Another workshop.

Work! Work! Work!



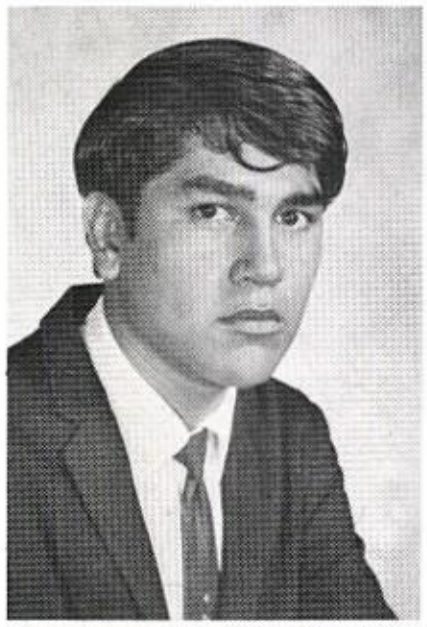
The younger generation of today holds the future in their hands. The future depends on what they will be able to do in the coming years. The past cannot be changed; the future is in their power.

yeah

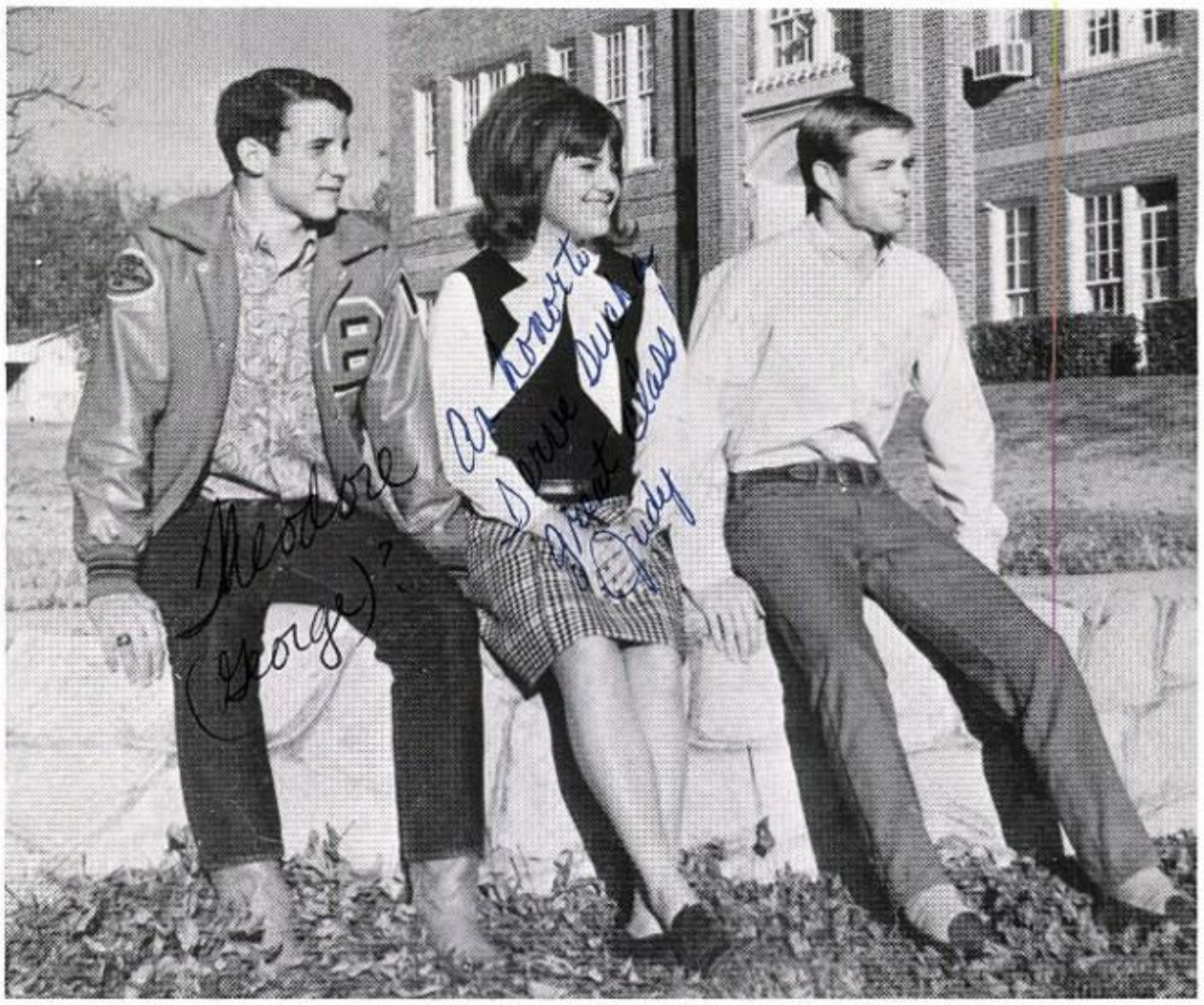
SENIORS

'68!

Harvery Aguirre



Ted Ahrens



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Vice-President	Bill Middleton
Secretary-Treasurer	Judy Burkes

Gilbert Armendariz

Stanley Bilbrey

Lyndon Brown

Janie Brown

Linda Bruchmiller

Telena Burk

Judy Burkes

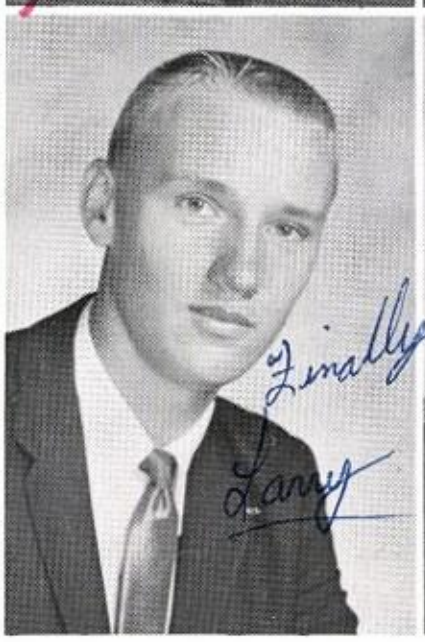
Linda Burgess

"They did what?" "About who?"

Linda Buxkemper

Patricia Clark

Susan Coleman
Steve Cook
Stephanie Cox
Carolyn Curry



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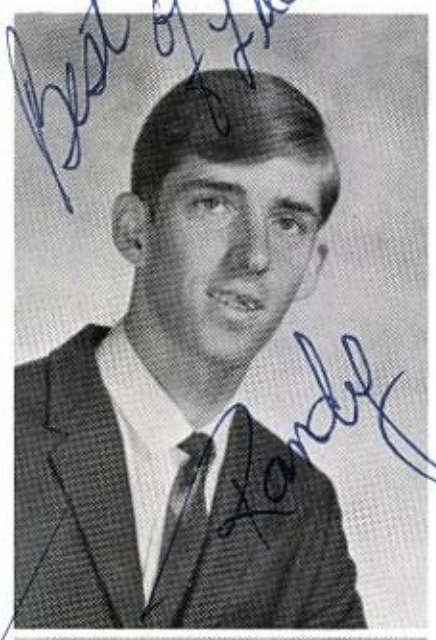
Larry Dean
Elia De La Cerda

Randy Everett



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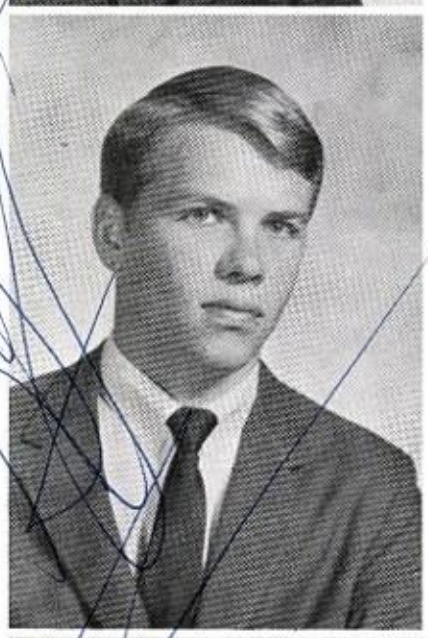
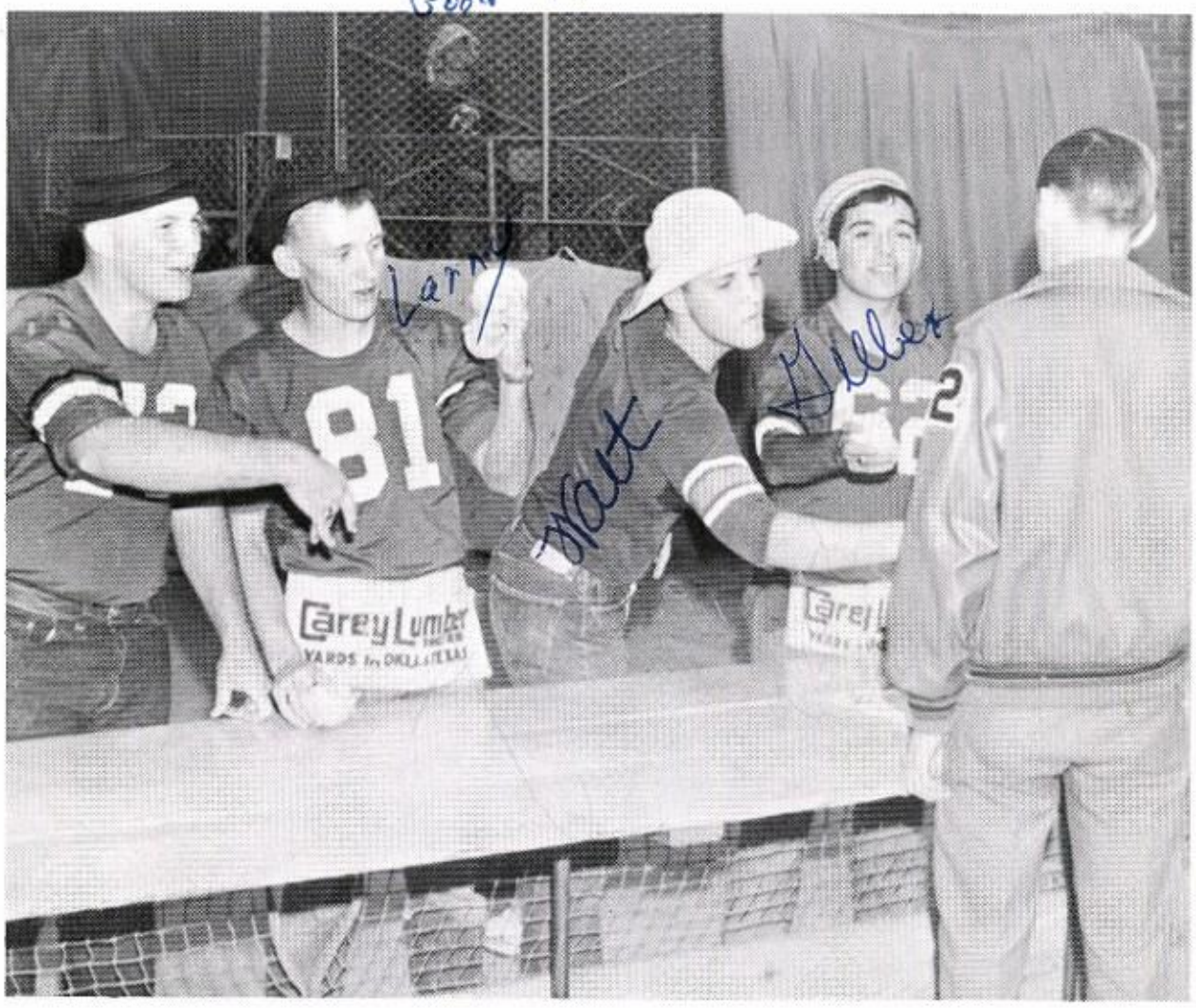




Oh, come on, surely you can't be that bad.

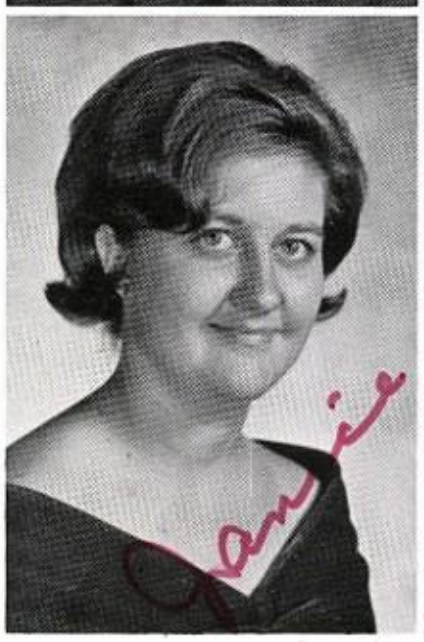
Joe Fowler

Kay Gann

Esmeralda Garcia

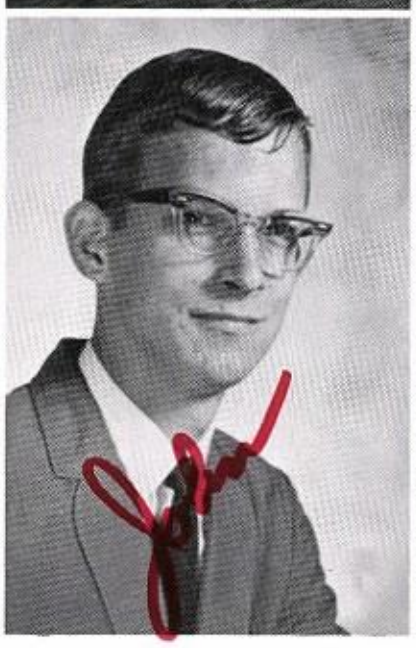
Carol Gillespie

Janice Goetz



Eddie Marie Gottschalk

John Green



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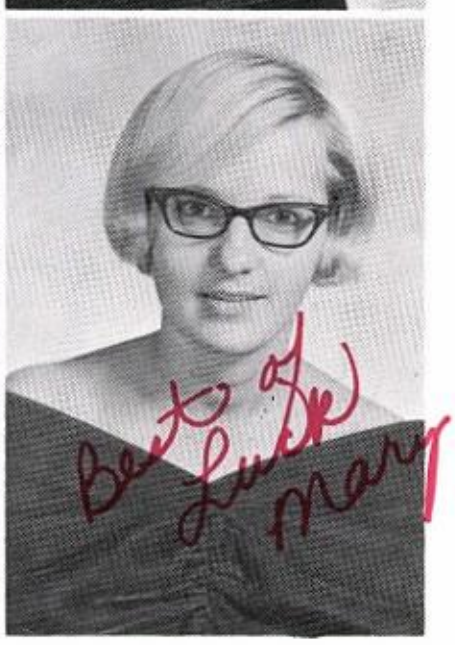
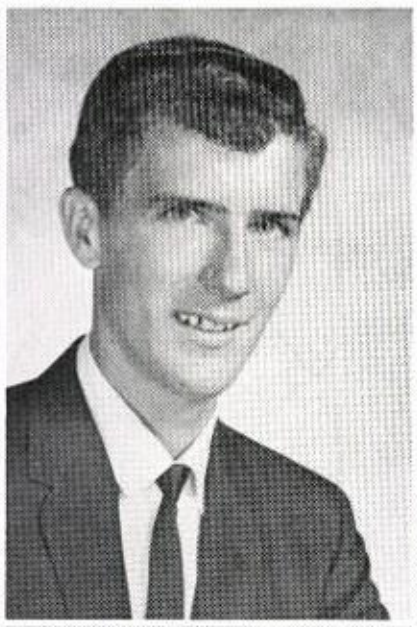


Keep it cool big team!

Billy Hale

Janet Halfmann

Joyce Halfmann



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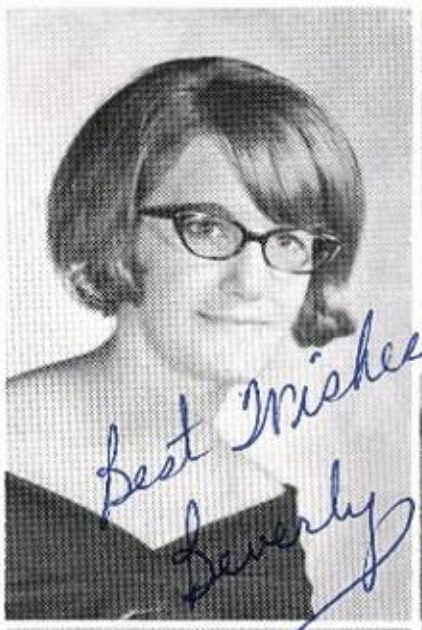

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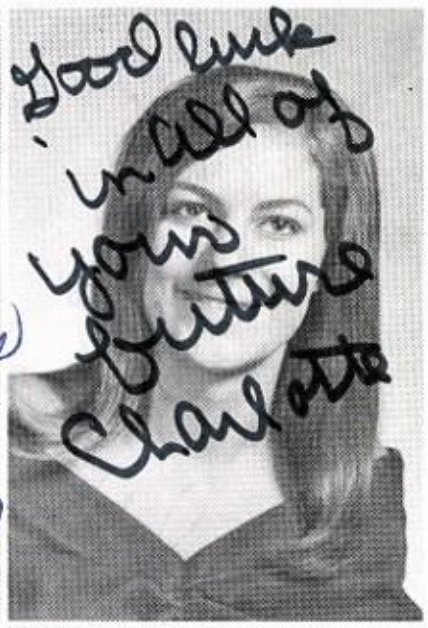
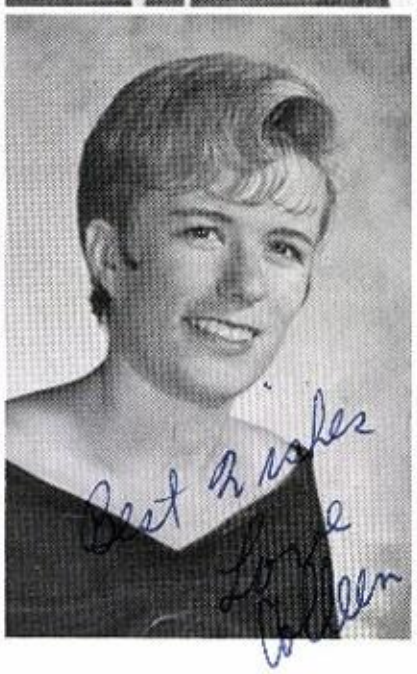


Charlotte Hallmark

Odell Hamilton



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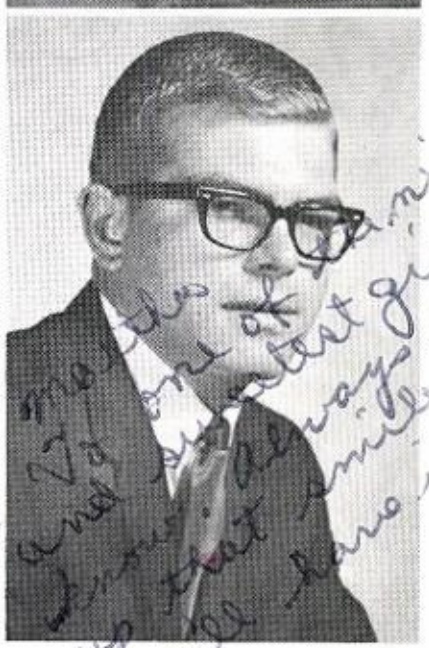
Cynthia Hays



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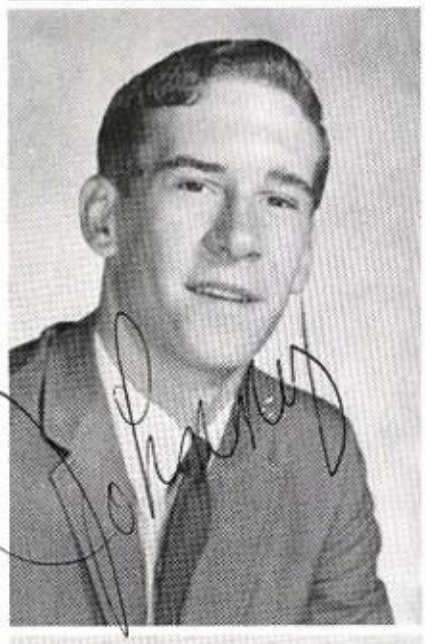
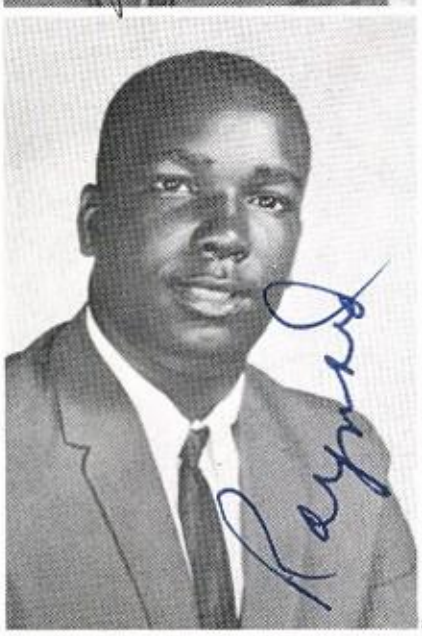


"Three cheers for us!"

Raymond Hubbard



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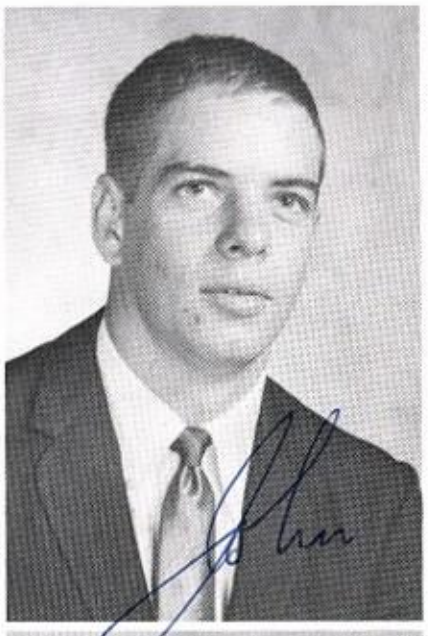

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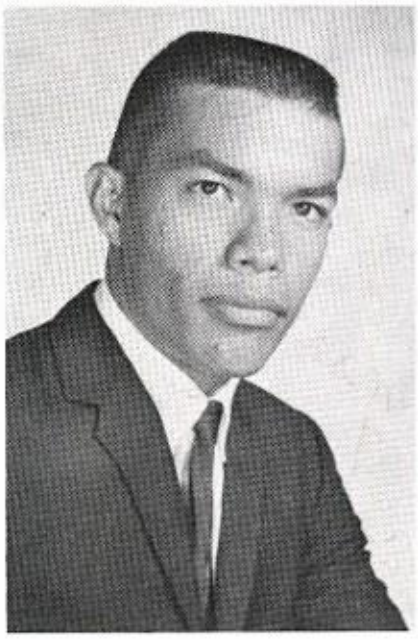

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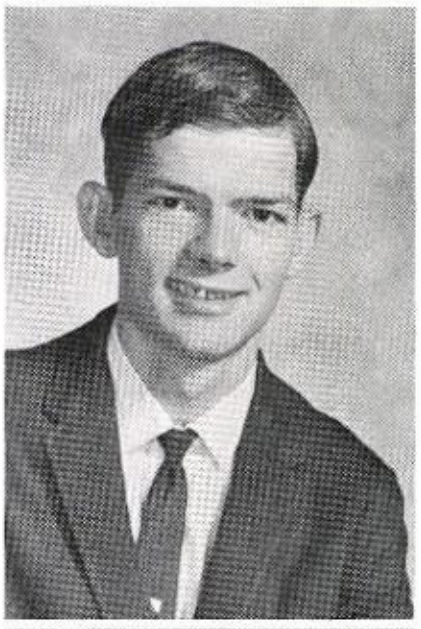
Charles Jobe

Chester Johnson

'We'll See Ya!'

Shirley Johnson



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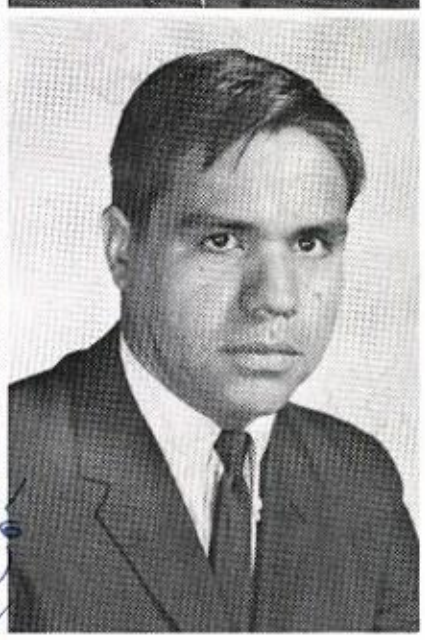

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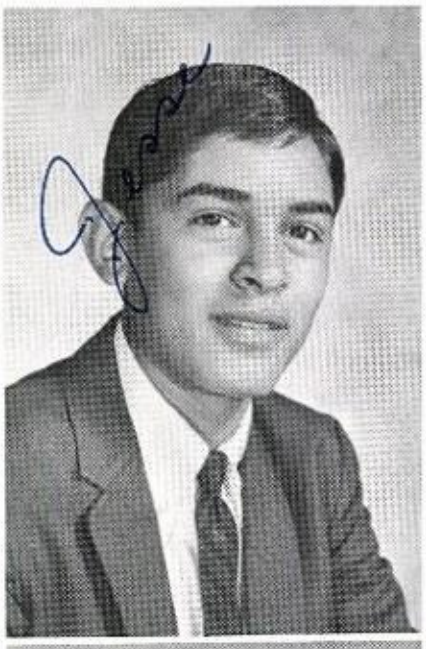

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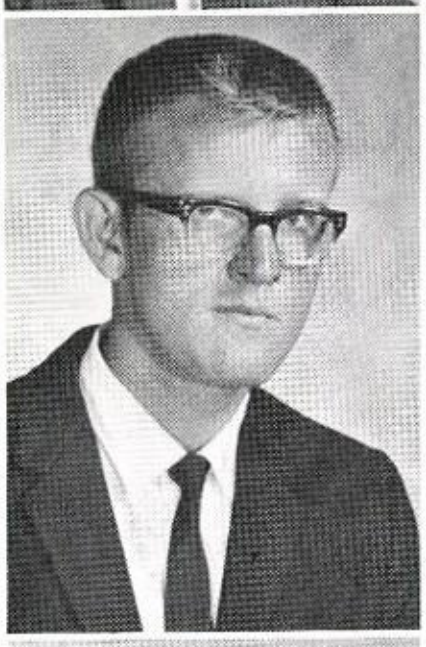
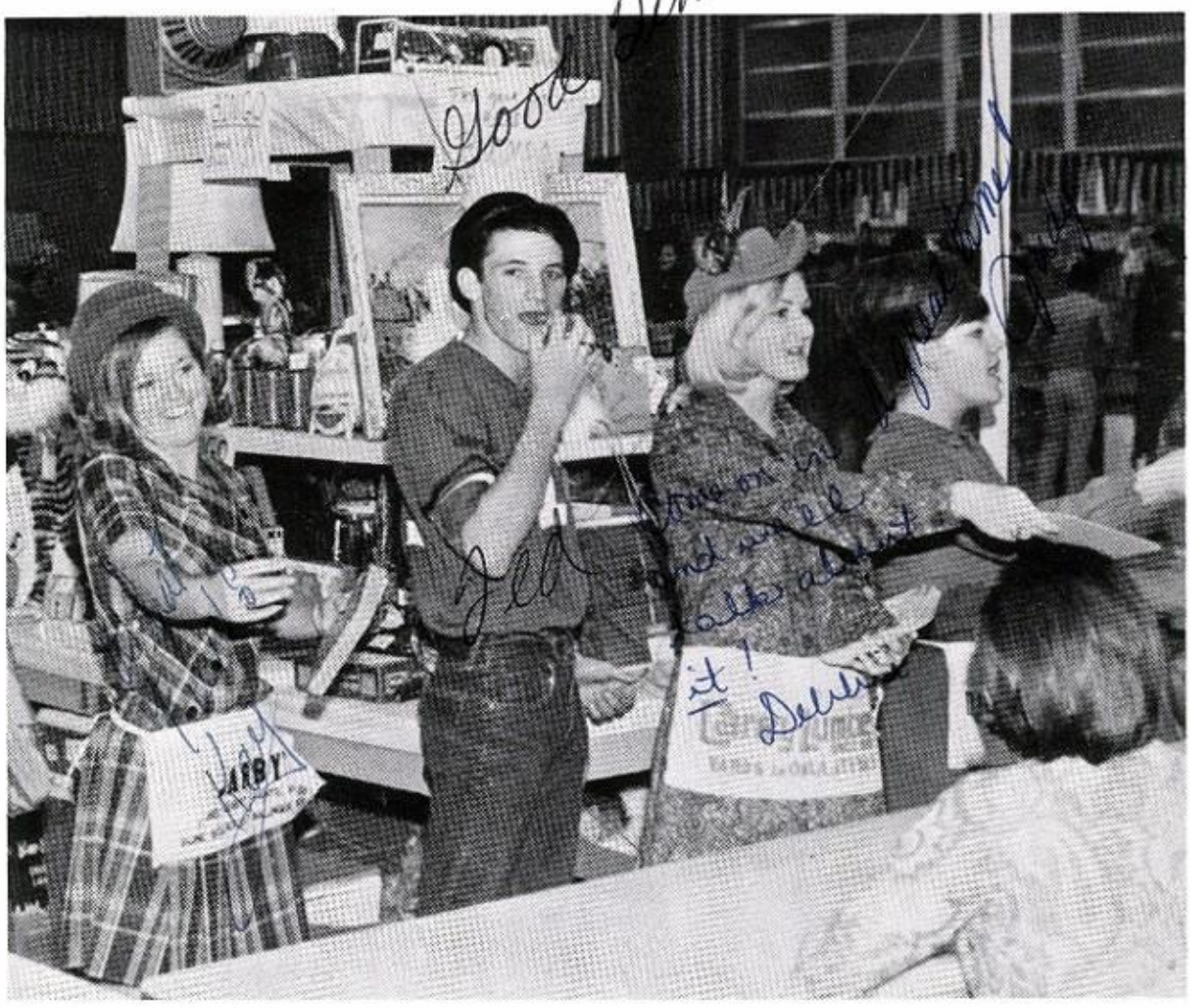
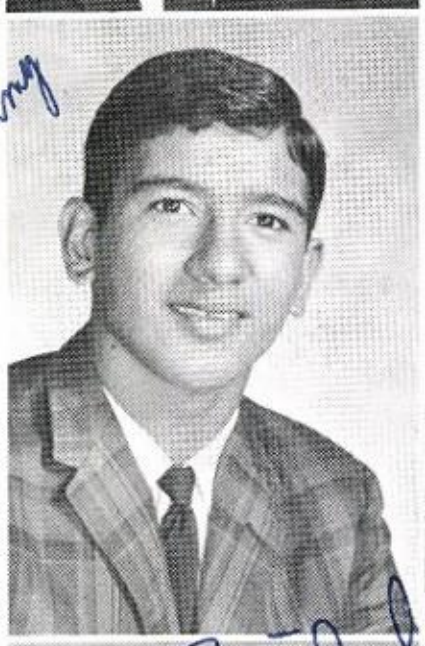




Come on now, even you can play Bingo!

Benny Martinez



Martha Mata

Linda Mendiola

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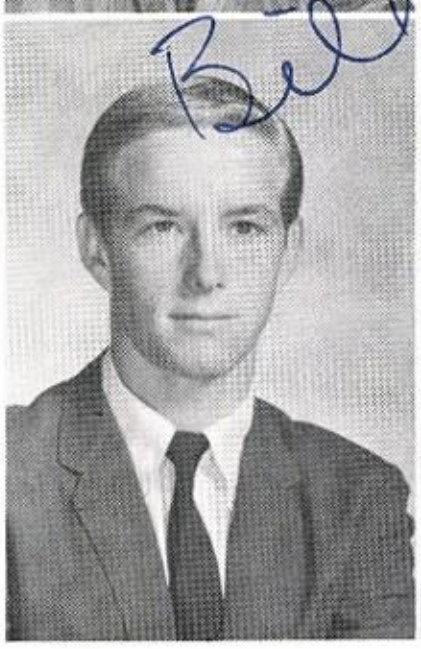

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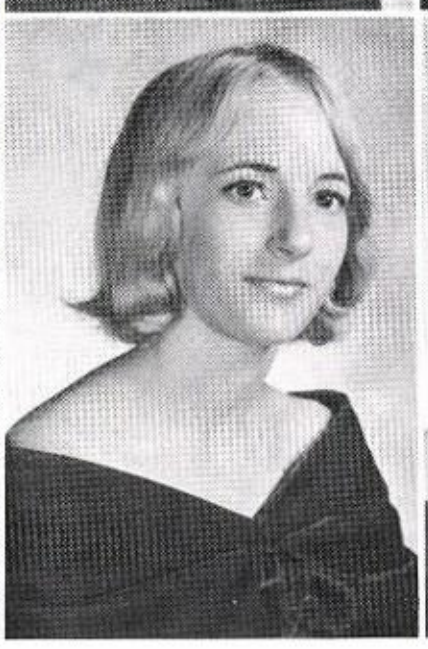

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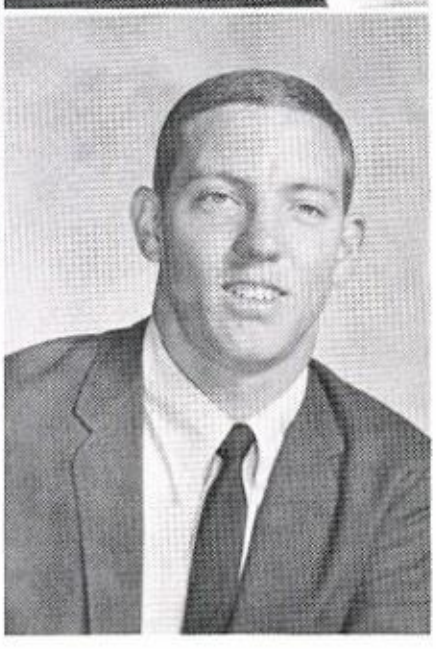

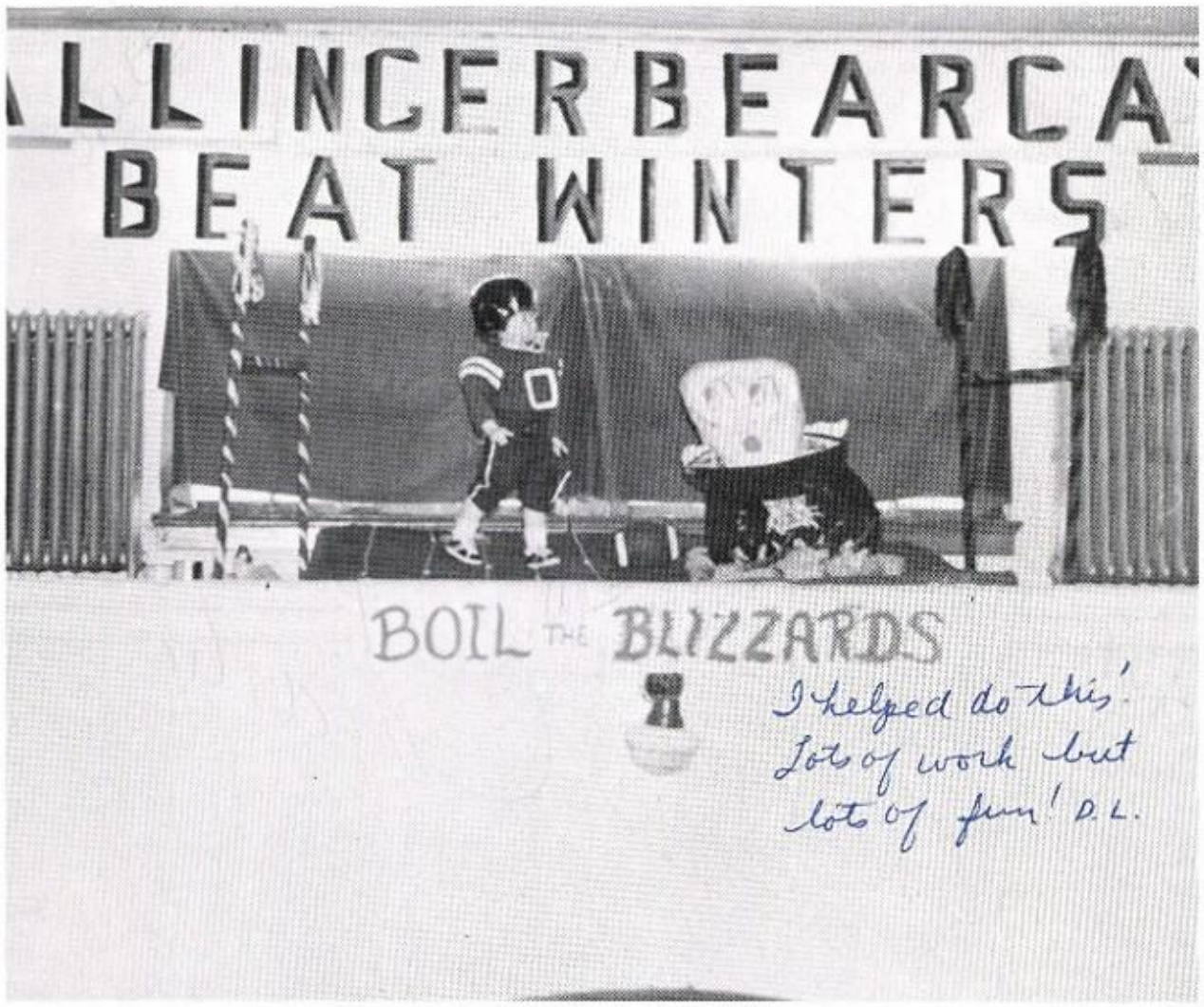

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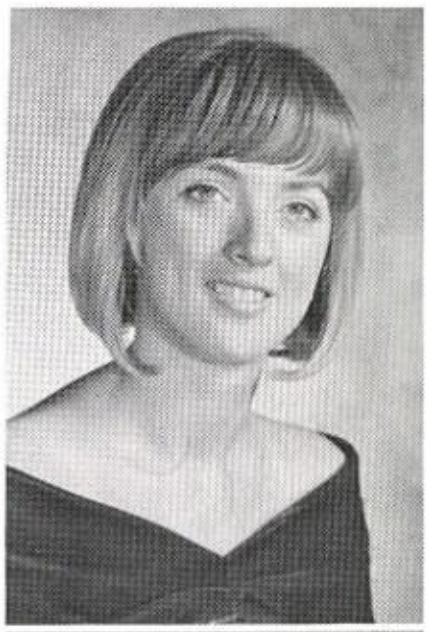

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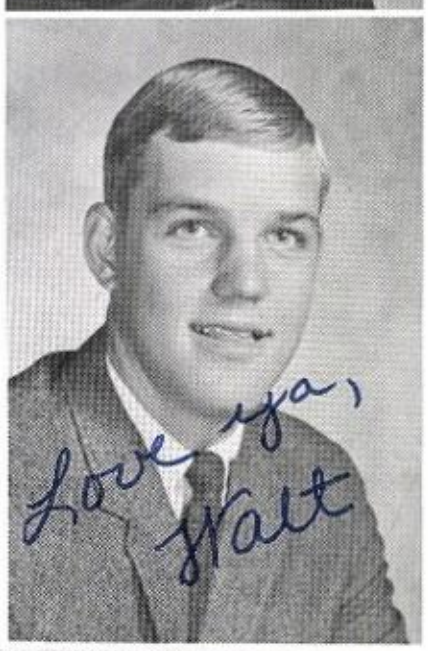

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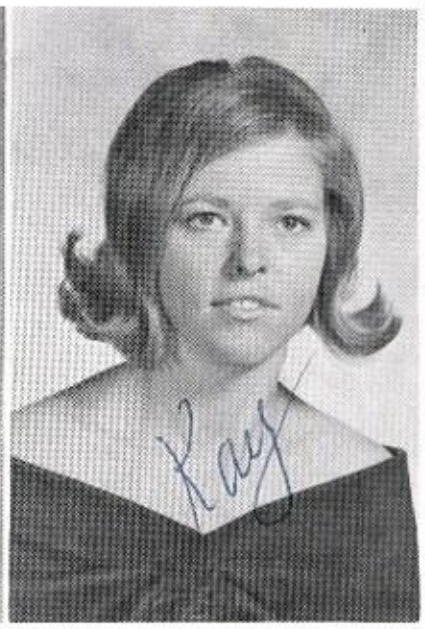

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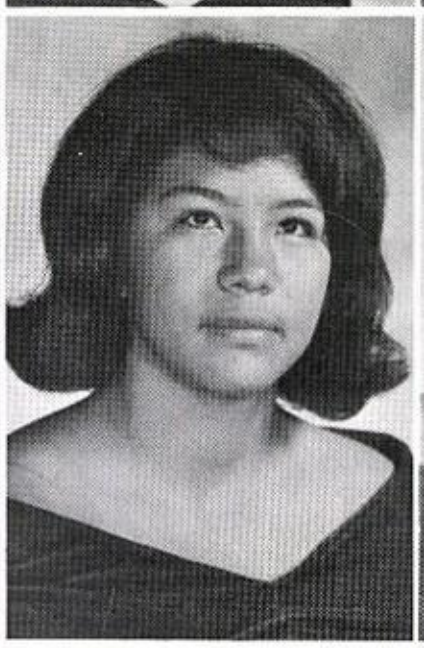

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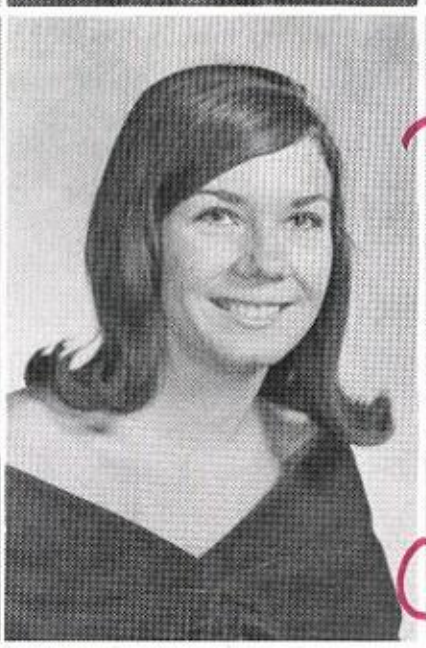

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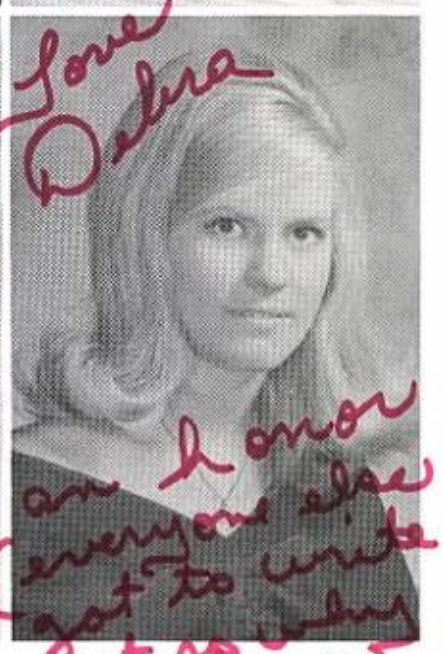

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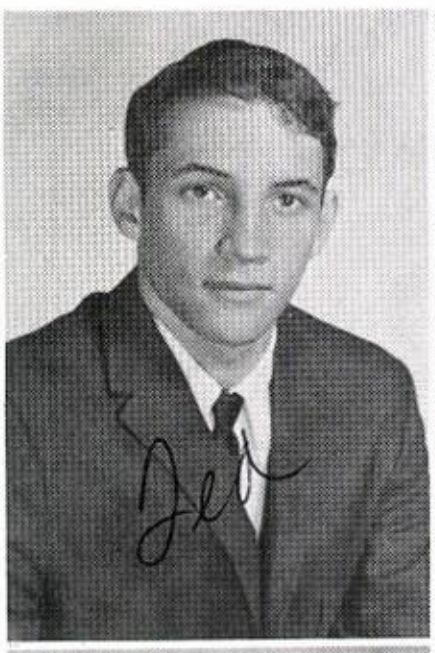

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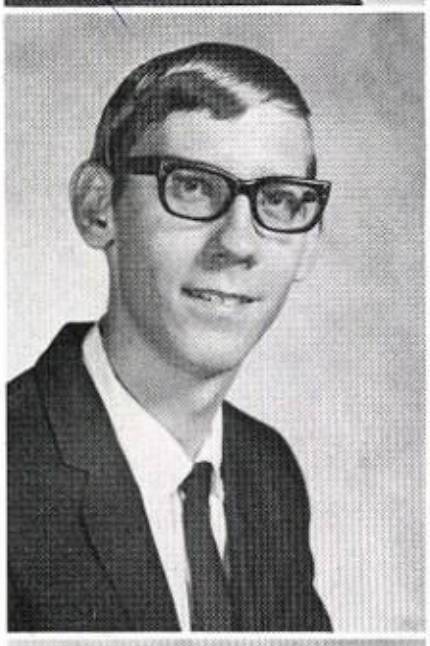

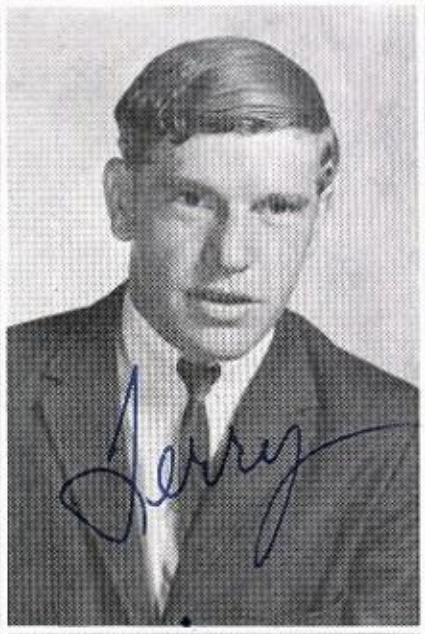

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Workman
Linda Clark
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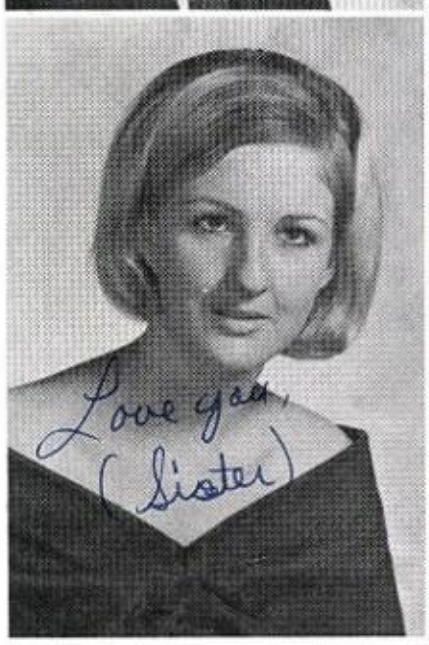


Senior Information

HARVEY AGUIRE. . . Spanish Club '65-'68, I. A. Club '66-'67.

TED AHRENS. . . I. A. Club '65-'68, Who's Who in P. E. '67-68, Who's Who in General Drafting '67-'68.

GILBERT ARMENDARIZ. . . Track '64-'68, I. A. Club '64-'65, I. A. Student Council Representative '64-'65, Spanish Club '64-'68, Who's Who in World History '65-'66, Who's Who in Civics '66-'67.

STANLEY BILBREY. . . F. F. A. '64-'65, Band '64-'68, Spanish Club '65-'66, I. A. Club '66-'67.

LYNDON BROWN. . . F. F. A. '64-'65, I. A. Club '65-'68, Football Manager '64-'65, Who's Who in P. E. '66-'67.

LINDA BRUCHMILLER. . . Paint Rock-Class Favorite '64-'66, Class Duchess '64-'66, Class Secretary '64-'66, Student Council '64-'66, Pep Squad '64-'66, F. H. A. '65-'66, Basketball '65-'66.

TELENA BURK. . . Most Likely to Succeed '67-'68, F. T. A. '65-'68, District XL Parliamentarian '67-'68, Cat Tracks Staff Editor '67-'68, National Honor Society '65-'68, Student Council '67-'68, Band '64-'68, F. H. A. '64-'68, District UIL Typing Winner, '65-'66, District UIL Number Sense Winner '66-'67, Who's Who in Latin I and II '64-'66, Who's Who in Typing I '65-'66, Who's Who in Shorthand '66-'67, Who's Who in Chemistry '67-'68, Who's Who in English IV '67-'68.

JUTSH
JUDY BURKES. . . Senior Class Secretary '67-'68, Who's Who in Civics '67-'68, B. H. S. Queen '67-'68, F. H. A. '64-'67, G. A. A.'s '66-'67, Basketball Manager '65-'66, Office Assistant '67-'68, Spanish Club '64-'68.

LINDA BURGESS. . . Latin Club '64-'65, F. S. A. '64-'65, F. H. A. '64-'67, Choir '66-'68 (Reporter '67-'68), National Honor Society '66-'68, Cat Tracks '66-'67, Quill and Scroll '66-'68, One Act Play Contest '66-'67, UIL Prose Interpretation '66-'67, Who's Who in Speech II '67-'68, Who's Who in Typing I '67-'68.

LINDA BUXKEMPER. . . Best in a Crowd '67-'68, F. F. A. Sweetheart '67-'68, Junior Queen Candidate '66-'67, Student Council '66-'68 (Secretary '67-'68), F. H. A. '64-'68 (Historian '65-'66, Treasurer '66-'67, Representative '66-'67, President '67-'68), G. A. A.'s '67-'68 (Representative '67-'68), Spanish Club '67-'68, Basketball '64-'66, Volleyball '65-'68.

PATRICIA CLARK. . . F. H. A. '64-'67, Choral Club '65-'68.

SUSAN COLEMAN. . . F. T. A. '67-'68 (President '67-'68, Miss F. T. A. '67-'68), Choral Club '66-'67 (Vice-President '66-'67, President '67-'68), Student Council '67-'68, Cat Tracks Staff '66-'68 (Reporter '66-'67, Feature Writer '67-'68), Quill and Scroll '66-'68, UIL Prose Interpretation '66-'67, F. H. A. '64-'66, Spanish Club '64-'66, Who's Who in Speech I '66-'67.

STEVE COOK. . . Football '65-'68, F. H. A. Prince '67-'68, F. F. A. '67-'68, Spanish Club '66-'67, I. A. Club '67-'68.

STEPHANIE COX. . . Band '65-'68 (First Lieutenant '66-'67, Assist. Drum Major '67-'68), F. H. A. '65-'66, Spanish Club '65-'66, Cat Tracks '66-'68 (Reporter '66-'67, Feature writer, Advertising '67-'68), Quill and Scroll '66-'68, Student Council '67-'68, Betty Crocker Homemaker's Award '67-'68.

CAROLYN CURRY. . . Latin Club '64-'65, Spanish Club '66-'68.

KATHY DANKWORTH. . . Miss Merry Christmas '67-'68, Most Beautiful '67-'68, PAW PRINTS '66-'68 (Asst. Advertising Manager '66-'67, Business Editor '67-'68), F. H. A. '66-'68, F. T. A. '66-'68, Spanish Club '64-'66, Latin Club '64-'66, I. A. Club '67-'68.

PAUL DAVIS. . . Latin Club '64-'66, Tennis '65-'68, Cat Tracks Staff '66-'67.

LARRY DEAN. . . Football '65-'68, Spanish Club '65-'66, I. A. Club '66-'67.

ELIA DE LA CERDA. . . Latin Club '64-'66.

RANDY EVERETT. . . Spanish Club '64-'68, I. A. Club '64-'66, Football '64-'66, Basketball '64-'65, Track '64-'65, Student Council '64-'65.

GARY FLANAGAN. . . Gainsville-Band '66-'68 (Vice-President '66-'67, President '67), Debate Team '66-'67, Student Council '67 (Vice-President '67) Ballinger-Band '63-'66, '67-'68, Latin Club '64-'66, Science Club '65-'68, Cat Tracks Staff '67-'68.

JOE FOWLER. . . Band '65-'68 (Drum Major '67-'68), Most Likely to Succeed '67-'68, Science Club '65-'68 (President '67-'68, Who's Who in Band '67-'68.

KAY GANN. . . F. H. A. '64-'68, Spanish Club '64-'65.

ESMERALDO GARCIA. . . Spanish Club '64-'66 (Award '66) Choral Club '67-'68, F. H. A. '67-'68.

CAROL GILLESPIE. . . Spanish Club '65-'68, National Honor Society '67-'68 (Vice-President '67-'68) PAW PRINTS Staff (Asst. Layout Editor '67-'68).

JANICE GOETZ. . . Spanish Club '66-'68, Band '64-'68, (First Division Ensemble '67), F.H.A. '64-'68, Asst. Librarian '66-'68.

EDDIE GOTTSCHALK. . . Band '64-'68 (Stage Band '66-'67, Solo and Ensemble Contest '64-'66, First Division Solo '64, Second Division Solo '65), F.H.A. '64-'68 (Junior Degree '66-'67, Historian '66-'67, Recording Secretary '67-'68), Spanish Club '67-'68.

JOHN GREEN. . . Band '64-'68 (Vice-President '67-'68), Latin Club '64-'66, National Honor Society '66-'68 (Reporter '67-'68), Science Club '66-'68, Student Council '67-'68 (Senior Representative '67-'68), Who's Who in Algebra II '66-'67, Who's Who in Pre-Calculus Mathematics '67-'68.

MARY GREEN. . . F.H.A. '64-'68, F.T.A. '67-'68, G.A.A.'s '67-'68.

BILLY HALE. . . Sophomore Class President '65-'66, Sophomore King Candidate '65-'66, Student Council '65-'68, Spanish Club '65-'68 (Vice-President '66-'67, President '67-'68), Most Handsome '67-'68, Football '65-'68 (All-District '66-'68, Tri-Captain '67-'68, Basketball '65-'68 (Co-Captain '67-'68) Track '65-'68.

JANET HALFMANN. . . Spanish Club '67-'68, F.H.A. '64-'68, G.A.A.'s '67-'68 (Reporter '67-'68) Volleyball '67-'68, Basketball '64-'65.

JOYCE HALFMANN. . . Spanish Club '66-'68, F.H.A. '65-'67, F.T.A. '66-'68, Latin Club '65-'66, Basketball '64-'65, G.A.A.'s '67-'68 (Vice-President '67-'68), Volleyball '67-'68, Who's Who in Girl's P.E. '67-'68.

RONNIE HALFMANN. . . Spanish Club '64-'65, I.A. Club '65-'68, F.F.A. '64-'65, Football '64-'65.

BEVERLY HALLMARK. . . F.H.A. '64-'68 (Junior Degree '65-'66, Reporter '66-'67, Corresponding Secretary '67-'68), F.T.A. '67-'68, Spanish Club '66-'68, G.A.A.'s '67-'68.

CHARLOTTE HALLMARK. . . F.H.A. '64-'68, Band '64-'68 (Band Librarian '66-'67, Band Representative '67-'68, Band Sweetheart '67-'68), Student Council '67-'68, G.A.A.'s '66-'68 (G.A.A. Representative '67-'68, G.A.A. President '67-'68), Basketball '64-'66, Volleyball '67-'68 (Volleyball Captain).

ODELL HAMILTON. . . Band '64-'67, F.F.A. '64-'68 (Vice-President '67-'68, Livestock Judging '66-'68, Chapter Conducting '65-'68, I.A. Club '64-'65.

COLLEEN HARWELL. . . F.H.A. '64-'65, '66-'68, Latin Club '64-'66, District UIL Typing Contest, Regional UIL Typing Contest, Tennis '65-'68, Basketball '64-'65, Office Assistant '67-'68.

CYNTHIA HAYS. . . Band '64-'68 (Solo and Ensemble '64-'65, First Division Ensemble '66, Solo and Ensemble '66-'67), Latin Club '64-'66, Who's Who in Bookkeeping '66-'67.

BARRY HILLIARD. . . Football '64-'68, Basketball '64, Track '64, F.F.A. '64-'68, Spanish Club '66-'67, F.H.A. King '67-'68, B.H.S. King '67-'68.

JACKIE HERRING. . . F.H.A. '64-'68, G.A.A.'s '66-'68.

JOHNNY HOLLOWAY. . . Football '64-'67 (Manager) Track '67, Spanish Club '64-'68, F.F.A. '64-'65.

RAYMOND HUBBARD. . . Football '64-'68 (Tri-Captain '67-'68, All District '67-'68, Honorable Mention All Area '67-'68, Second Team All State '67-'68), Track '64-'65, Basketball '64-'65, Spanish Club '65-'66, Best in a Crowd '67-'68.

ALAN HUDGENS

TIM HUFSTEDLER. . . Spanish Club '65-'68, Science Club '66-'67, I.A. Club '65, Who's Who in General Science '64-'65.

JOHN JACOB. . . Football '64-'68 (All District '67-'68, Athletic Representative '67-'68), Spanish Club '64-'68, I.A. Club '64-'67, Track '64-'65 Student Council '67-'68, Librarian '67-'68, Who's Who in General Woodwork '64-'65.

NOE JACQUES. . . Football '64-'68, Track '64-'68, Spanish Club '64-'68, National Honor Society '65-'68, Who's Who in Spanish II '65-'66.

PAUL JALOMA

CHARLES JOBE. . . I.A. Club '64-'65, Band '64-'68, Spanish Club '66-'67.

CHESTER JOHNSON

SHIRLEY JOHNSON. . . F.H.A. '64-'68, Spanish Club '67-'68, Choral Club '67-'68.

JERRY JONES. . . Choral Club '65-'68, I.A. Club '64-'65.

JULIA JONES. . . Miss B. H. S. '67-'68, Football Sweetheart '67-'68, D. A. R. Good Citizen '67-'68, Junior Favorite '66-'67, Sophomore Favorite '65-'66, Student Council '65-'68 (Sophomore Representative '65-'66, Member-at-Large '66-'67, Cheering Section Representative '67-'68, Treasurer '67-'68), Cheerleader '65-'68, National Honor Society '65-'68 (Secretary '66-'67), Sophomore Class Secretary '65-'66, Basketball Manager '66-'67, F. S. A. '66-'67, Who's Who in Plane Geometry '65-'66.

MAC JONES. . . F. F. A. '65-'66, I. A. Club '66-'68, Golf '65-'68.

BETTY KING

MIKE KING. . . Football '65-'68 (All District '67-'68), I. A. Club '64-'67.

VIKKI KING. . . F. S. A. '65-'67 (Reporter '66-'67), Cat Tracks Staff '64-'68 (Class Reporter '64-'67, Advertising Manager '67-'68), Student Council '66-'68 (Junior Representative '66-'67, Senior Representative '67-'68, Reporter '67-'68), Latin Club '64-'66, F. T. A. '67-'68, Spanish Club '67-'68. National Honor Society Quill + Scroll

DANNY KOTRLIK

DEBBY LEGG. . . Miss Howdy '67-'68, Senior Favorite '67-'68, Senior Cheerleader '67-'68, Spanish Club '64-'67 (Secretary '66-'67), Sophomore Queen Candidate '65-'66, Basketball '64-'66, Volleyball '65-'68 (Volleyball Captain '66-'67), G. A. A.'s '65-'68, PAW PRINTS Staff '67-'68 (Assist. Copy Editor '67-'68), Freshman Class Secretary-Treasurer '64-'65, Who's Who in Girl's P. E. '66-'67. Quill + Scroll; District Volleyball '68

RICHARD LOPEZ. . . Football '64-'68, Spanish Club '64-'67, Track '65-'68, Tennis '65.

JESSE LUGO

CARLIS MARTIN. . . F. F. A. '65-'66.

BENNY MARTINEZ. . . Football '65-'68, Track '65-'66, Spanish Club '65-'67, F. F. A. '65-'66.

MARTHA MATA. . . Spanish '64-'68, F. H. A. '64-'65, Basketball '65-'66, G. A. A.'s '65-'68, Volleyball '66-'68.

LINDA MENDIOLA. . . Choral Club '67-'68, G. A. A.'s '65-'66, Spanish Club '65-'66.

LUCY MENDIOLA. . . Choral Club '65-'66, G. A. A.'s '66-'67, Spanish Club '67-'68, Basketball '64-'65.

BILL MIDDLETON. . . Football '64-'66, '67-'68, Latin Club '64-'66 (Vice-President '65-'66), Basketball '64-'65, Student Council '64-'67 (Member-at-Large) Golf '64-'68, Cat Tracks Staff '64-'68, Junior Class Vice-President '66-'67, Mr. Howdy '67-'68, Senior Class Vice-President '67-'68, Spanish Club '67-'68.

LINDA MIDGLEY. . . F. H. A. '64-'68, G. A. A.'s '67-'68, Volleyball '67-'68, Who's Who in Typing II '67-'68.

BONNIE MOON. . . National Honor Society '65-'68, Latin Club '64-'66, F. H. A. '66-'67, Who's Who in English I '64-'65, Who's Who in English II '66-'67, Who's Who in Journalism '66-'67, Who's Who in Choir '67-'68, Cat Tracks Staff '66-'68 (Reporter '66-'67, Secretary '67-'68), Choir '66-'68, Quill and Scroll '66-'68, D. I. A. Convention Delegate '66-'67, Library Assistant '65-'66, '67-'68.

SAMMY McLARTY. . . Freshman Favorite '64-'65, Latin Club '64-'66, Student Council '64-'68 (President '67-'68), Football '64-'68 (All-District, All Area, All West Texas, All State Team '67-'68), Basketball '64-'68 (All-District '66-'67), Track '64-'68, F. F. A. '64-'65, Sophomore Favorite '65-'66, Science Club '65-'68, Junior Favorite '66-'67, Most Athletic '67-'68.

SALLY PARKER. . . Spanish Club '65-'68 (Secretary '64-'65, Treasurer '65-'66, Reporter '66-'68), F. H. A. '67-'68, Cat Tracks '66-'67, PASF State Delegate '65-'68, Office Asst. '67-'68.

WALT PEHL. . . Football '64-'66 (All District Second Team '65-'66), Basketball '64-'65, Track '64-'65, Cat Tracks Staff '64-'65, I. A. Club '67-'68, Spanish Club '64-'66 (Vice-President '67-'68), Junior Class King '65-'66, Most Typical Boy '67-'68.

LINDA PLATT. . . F. H. A. '64-'65, Spanish Club '64-'68, National Poetry Winner '65-'66, Choral Club '65-'66, F. T. A. '66-'67, Asst. Librarian '67-'68, Office Asst. '67-'68.

SU LYNN PRINCE. . . F. H. A. '64-'67 (Vice-President '64-'65, President '65-'67), F. F. A. Sweetheart '64-'65, Longhorn Annual Staff '64-'67, Tennis '64-'67, Sophomore Duchess '65-'66, Science Club '65-'66 (Reporter '66-'67), Junior Play '66-'67, Cheerleader '65-'67, Basketball Manager '65-'67.

KAY REDMAN. . . Most Typical Girl '67-'68, I. A. Club (Secretary '67-'68), Quill and Scroll '66-'68, PAW PRINTS Staff '66-'68 (Asst. Business Manager '66-'67, Layout Editor '67-'68), Spanish Club '64-'67 (Treasurer '66-'67), Student Council '65-'66, Basketball '64-'66, Volleyball '65-'66, G. A. A.'s '65-'66, Who's Who in General Shop '67-'68.

PAM ROBINSON. . .F.H.A. '64-'68, G.A.A.'s '66-'67, Choir Club '67-'68, Basketball '64-'68, Tennis '65-'68, Volleyball '67-'68.

DOMINGO RODRIQUEZ

MARTHA RODRIQUEZ. . .Spanish Club '64-'66, F.H.A. '64-'65.

SHARON SCHWERTNER. . .F.H.A. '64-'68 (Parliamentarian '65-'66, President '66-'67, First Vice-President '67-'68), National Honor Society '65-'68 (Treasurer '66-'67, President '67-'68), Who's Who in Home Economics II '65-'66, Who's Who in Home Economics III '66-'67, Who's Who in American History '66-'67, Who's Who in Shorthand '67-'68, Junior Class Secretary-Treasurer '66-'67, Basketball '64-'66, Spanish Club II '67-'68.

Connally Cadets Bi-District Champs

DEBRA STEVENS. . .Waco-Homecoming Cheerleader '66-'67, F.H.A. Secretary '66-'67, Pep Squad '66-'67, Ballinger-Freshman Class Queen '64-'65, UIL District Play '67, Choir '64-'68 (First Division Solo '66), Science Staff '65-'67, F.H.A. '64-'68, F.T.A. '66-'67, Science Club '65-'67.

TED SYKES. . .Football '64-'68, Basketball '64-'65, Track '64-'68, Mr. B.H.S. '67-'68, Senior Class Favorite '67-'68, Senior Class President '67-'68, Sophomore Class Vice-President '65-'66, Student Council '67-'68, Latin Club '64-'66.

GAYLE TERRY. . .F.H.A. '65-'66, F.S.A. '65-'66, Choir '65-'68, UIL Debate '66-'68, F.T.A. '67-'68, (Parliamentarian).

JENNIFER TYLER. . .Sulphur, La.-Student Council '64-'65, Band '64-'65, Ballinger-Who's Who in Speech I '67-'68, F.T.A. '67-'68, Office Asst. '67-'68.

JANETT WADE. . .Band '64-'68 (Line Twirler '64-'65, Feature Twirler '65-'68, First Division Twirling Solo '64-'67, First Division Flute Ensemble '66), F.H.A. '64-'68 (Reporter '67-'68), F.T.A. '67-'68.

PRESTON WALTERS. . .Band '64-'67 (Band Council '65-'67), F.S.A. '67-'68, Spanish Club '65-'67, Tennis '65-'68.

TERRY WATTS. . .Latin Club '65-'66, Football '64-'66, Basketball '64-'65, Track '65-'66, Spanish Club '64-'68.

LEONA WHEELER. . .F.H.A. '66-'67, Choir '64-'68, Spanish Club '66-'68.

ALLEN WILBANKS. . .Band '64-'67 (Parliamentarian '66-'67), Spanish Club '64-'66, Junior Class President '66-'67, F.S.A. '66-'67, Student Council '66-'67, F.F.A. '64-'68 (Reporter '65-'66, President '67-'68, Star Greenhand '64-'65, Safety Award '65-'66, Farm Electrification Award '66-'67, Conducting Team '65-'68, Livestock Judging '65-'68.

DEBBIE WITT. . .F.H.A. '64-'67, Spanish Club '64-'67 (Reporter '65-'66), Quill and Scroll '67-'68, Student Council '67-'68 (PAW PRINTS representative), I.A. Club '67-'68, PAW PRINTS Staff '66-'68 (Asst. Editor '66-'67, Editor '67-'68), Basketball '64-'66, Freshman Favorite '64-'65, Volleyball '65-'66.

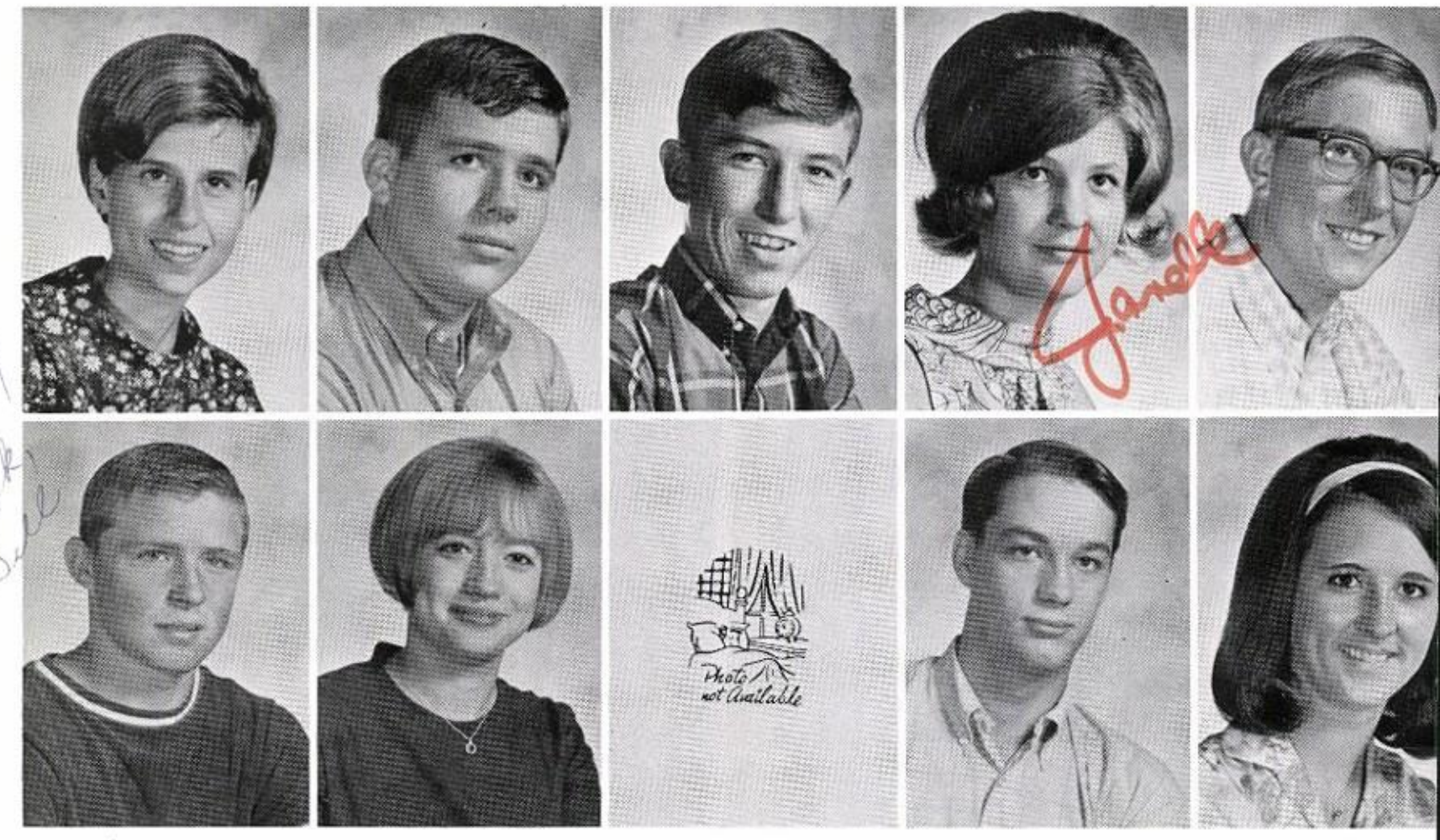
MARTHA WITT. . .Junior High Student Council '65-'65 (Band Representative), Latin Club '64-'66, Band '64-'68 (Band Council '65-'66, Band Captain '67-'68), F.H.A. '65-'66, Quill and Scroll '67-'68, F.T.A. '66-'68 (Secretary '67-'68), Student Council '67-'68 (Quill and Scroll Representative), Office Assistant '67-'68.

MARY WORKMAN. . .Spanish Club '64-'68, F.H.A. '64-'65, '67-'68, F.T.A. '66-'67.

With nuclear power the world could face total annihilation; therefore we should strive for better understanding between nations to prevent such destruction. Our future and our children's future will depend upon our ability to live at peace with our neighbors and fellow man.

JUNIORS

Sharon Afflerbach
Joe Baird
Stanley Bickel
Janelle Block
Gary Bomar
Roy Brown
Sunny Bryan



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Ora Lee Carson
Randy Chapman
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Mike Dankworth
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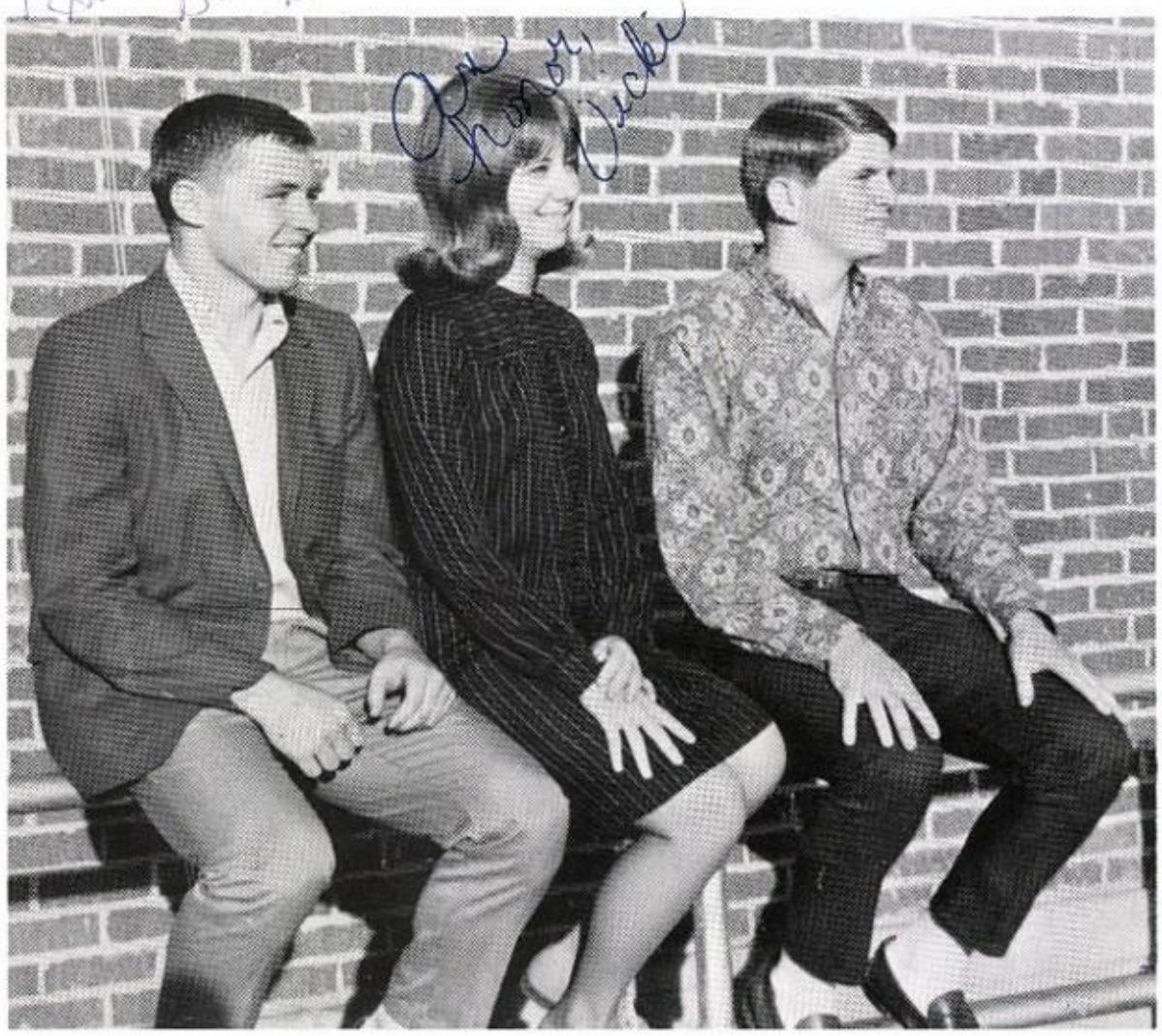

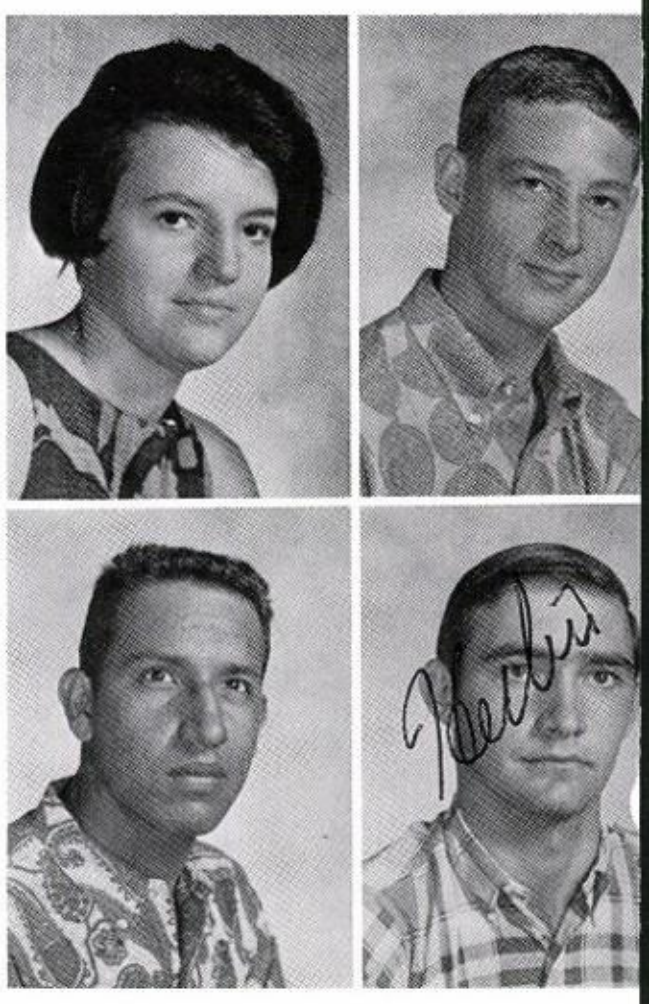

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

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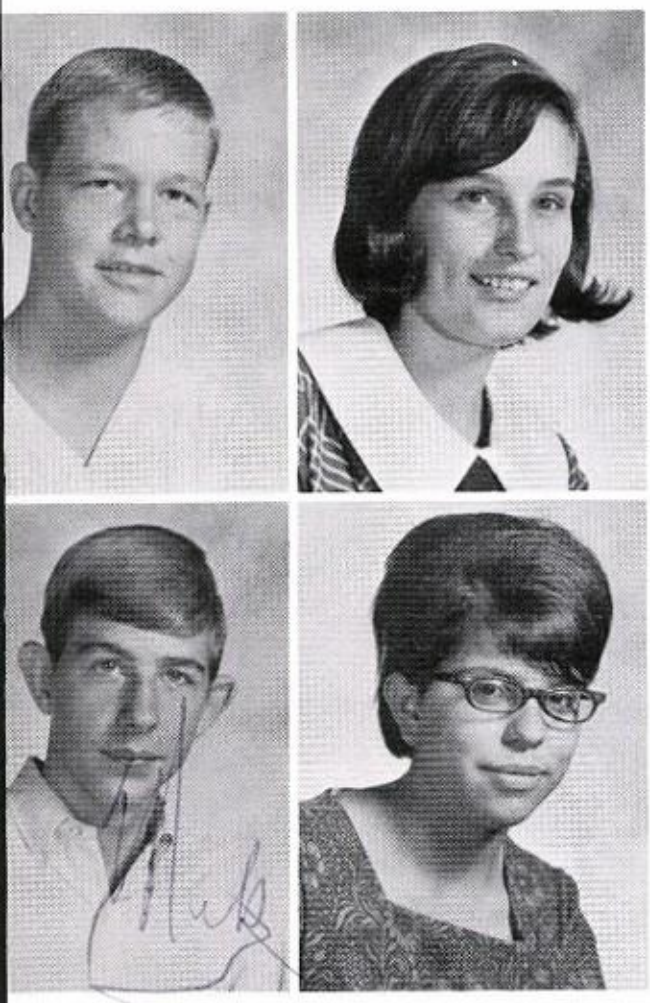
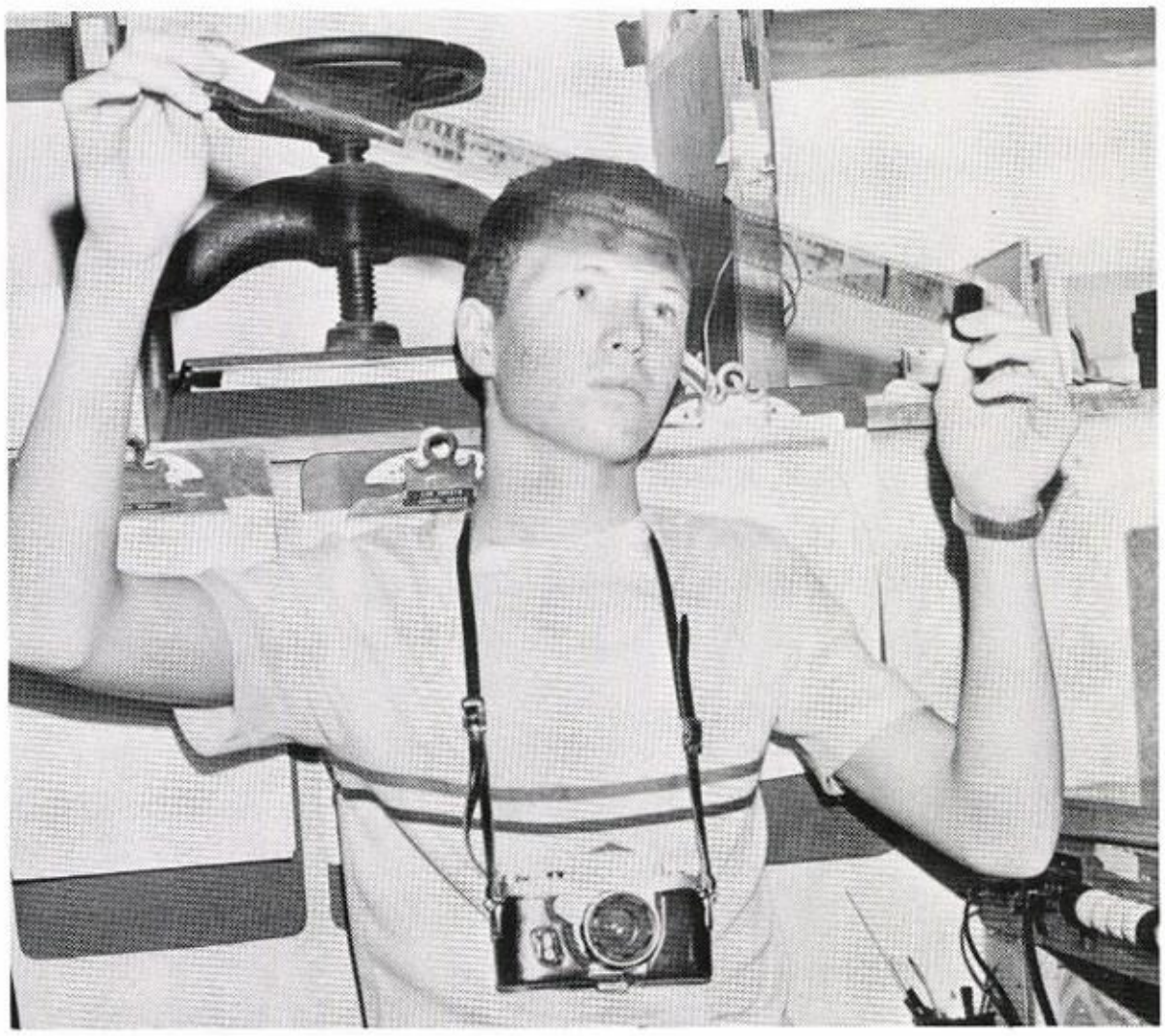
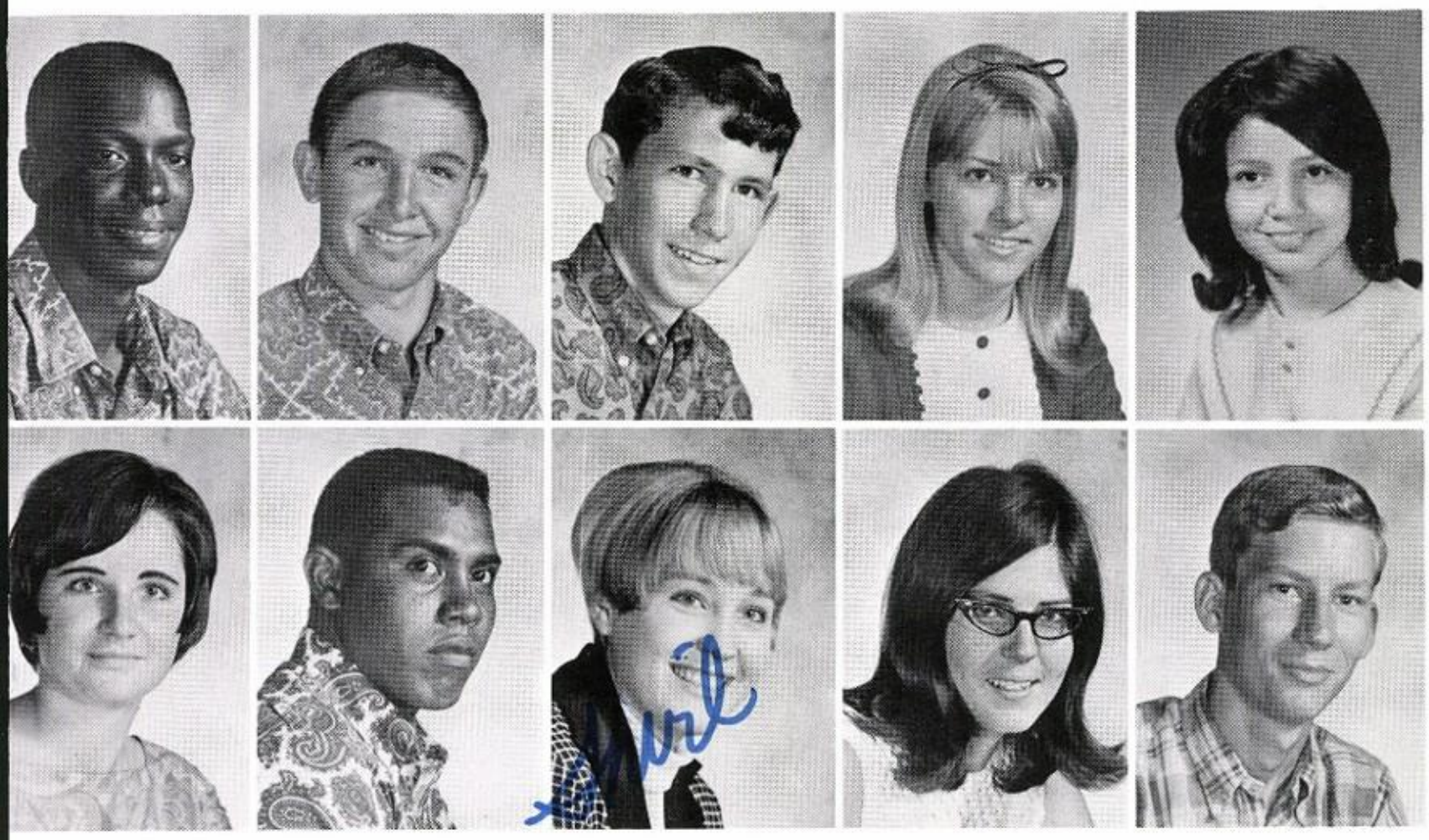




Kent Isbell was the phogotrapher for this year's PAW PRINTS.



Mary Denton
Waymond Dixon
Frank Field
J. B. Fiveash
Jesse Fowler
Deborah Gabbert
Feliciana Galvan

Jerome Garcia
Herbie Goetz
Jean Goetz
Lupe Gonzales
Shirley Gottschalk
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Mickey Halfmann
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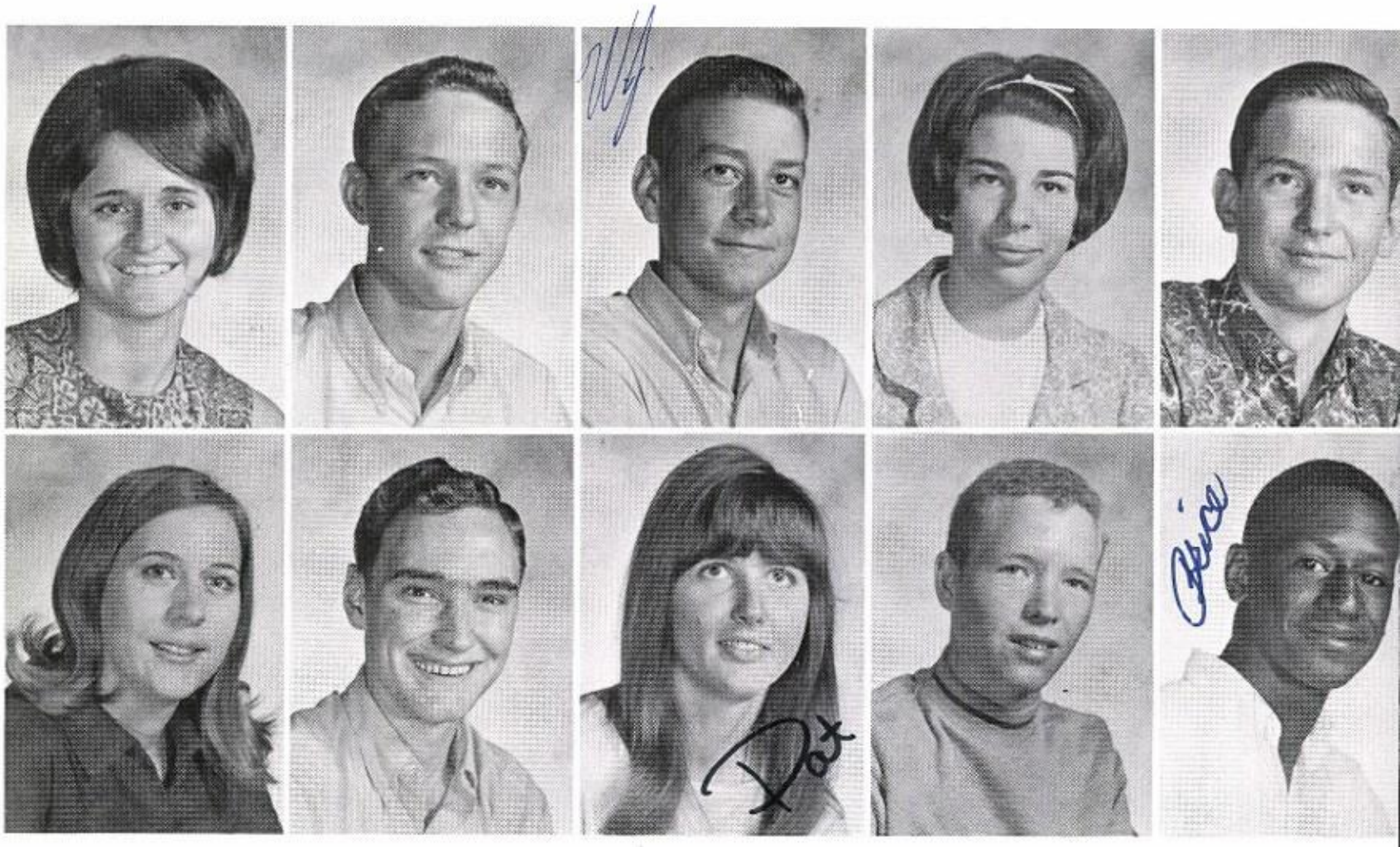
Ann Haygood
Janice Holtman



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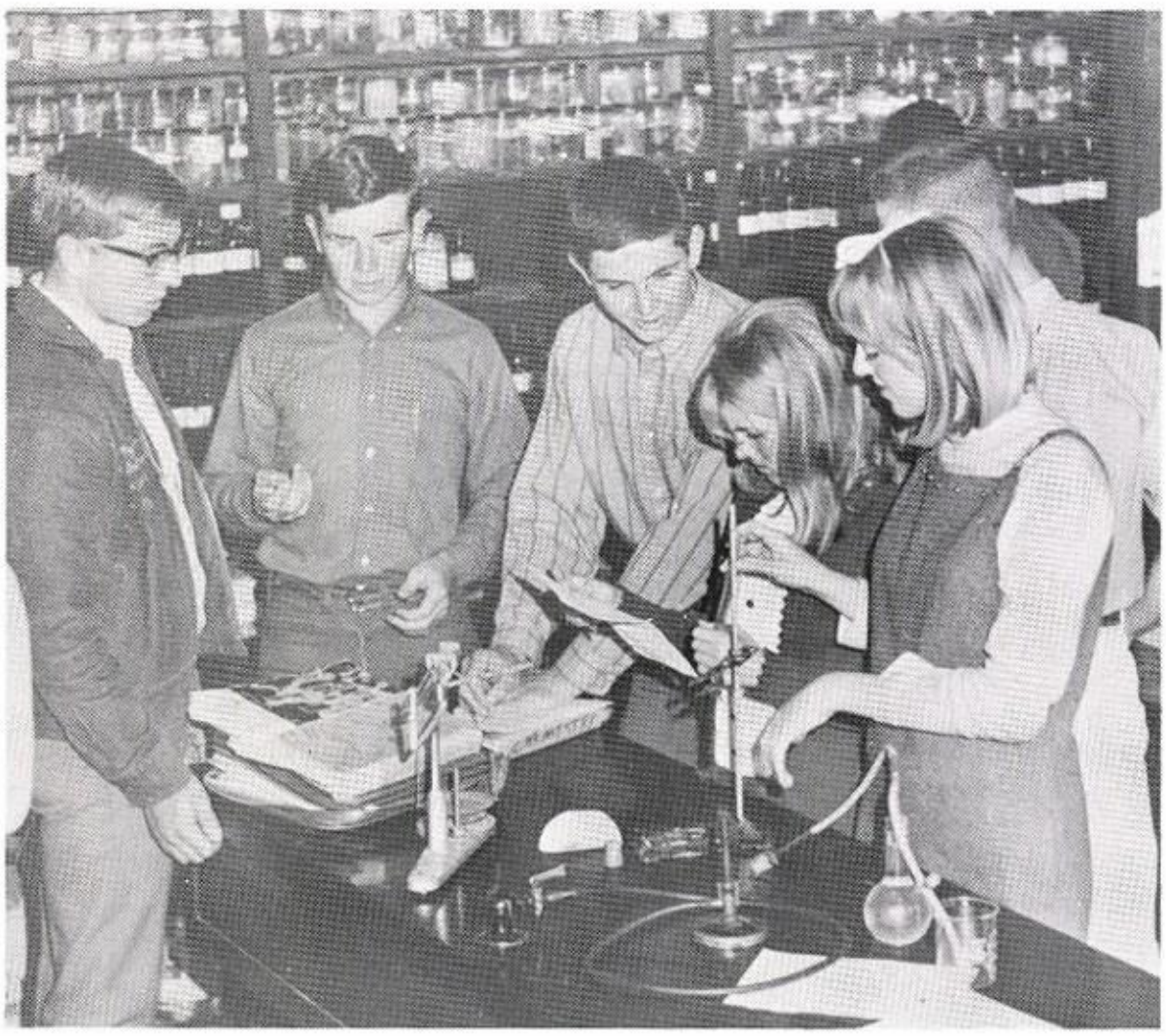
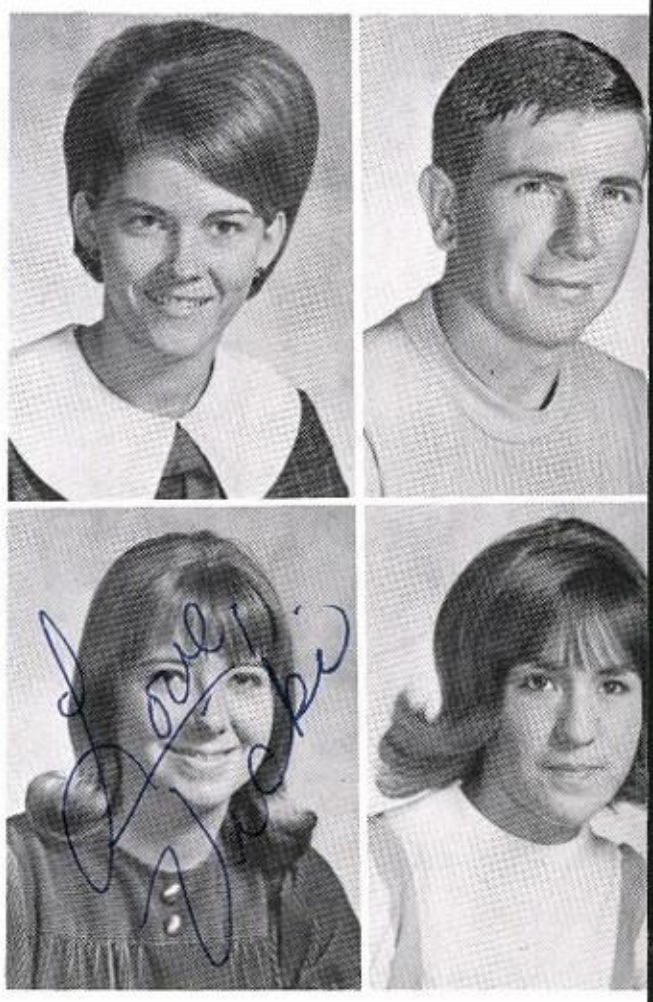
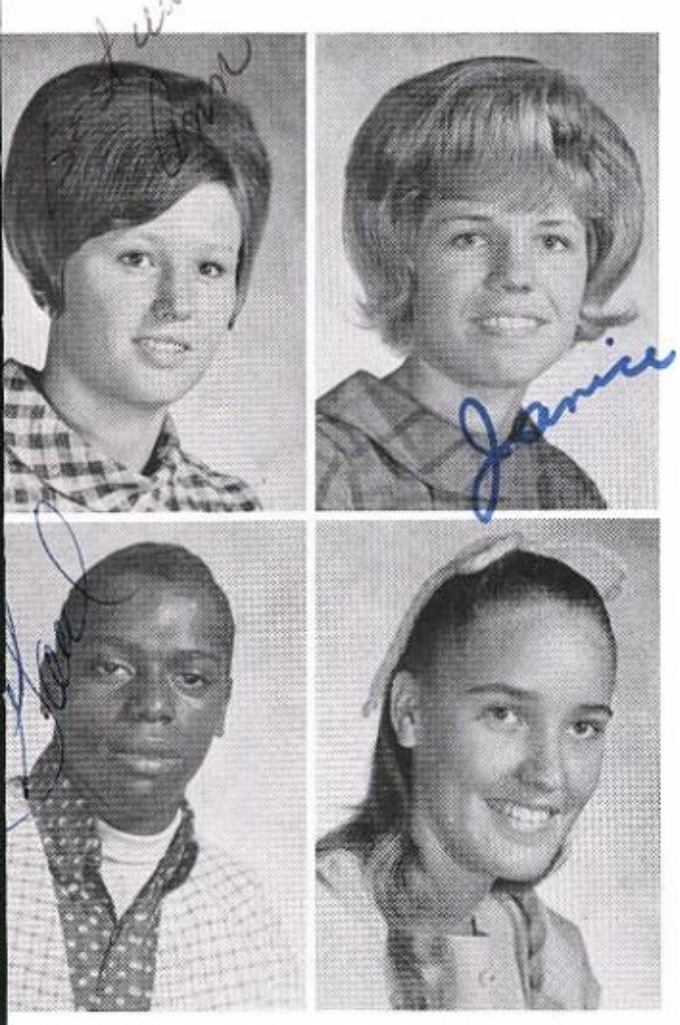
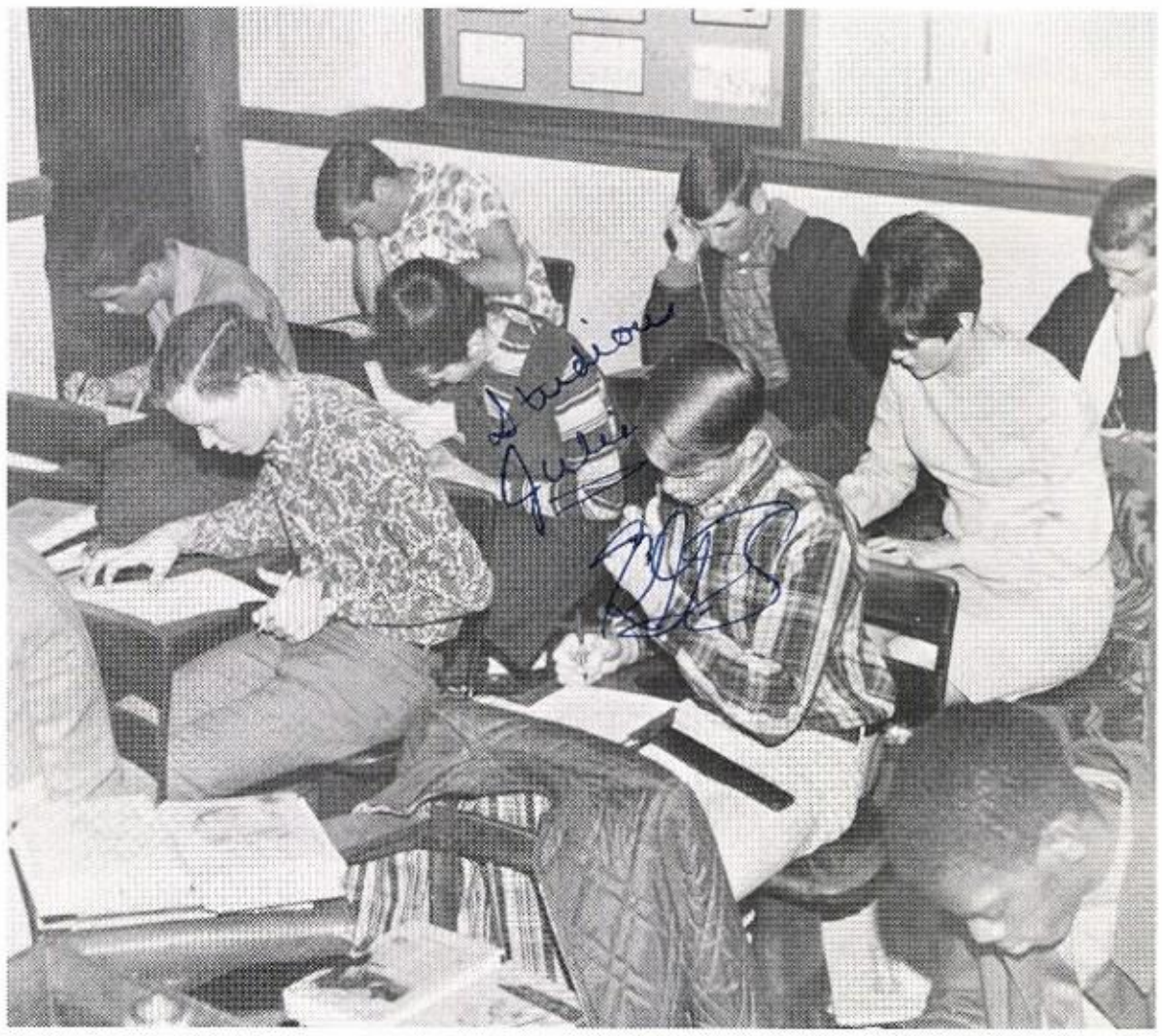
Pat Hoelscher
Kent Isbell
Brice Jernigan, Jr.
Paul Johnson
Deborah Kedziora



Big deal, so you can read Gabbert!







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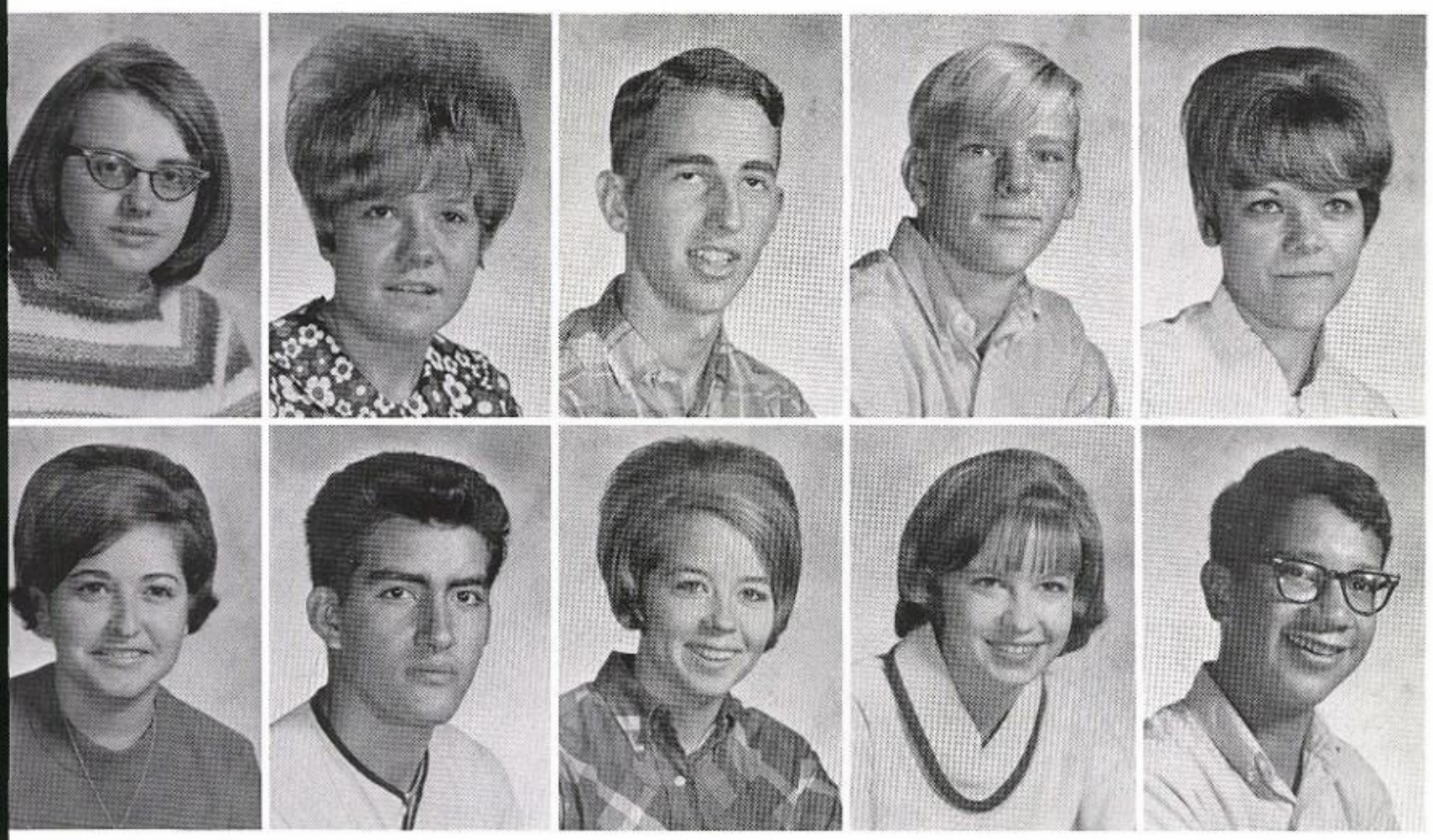

Jackie King
Chuck Kirk
Charlene Knight
Elaine Kvapil
David Lange
Bobby Ledbetter
Gloria Lee

Vicki Lee
Lisa Lopez
Linda Lugo
Harvery Martinez
Shirley Middleton
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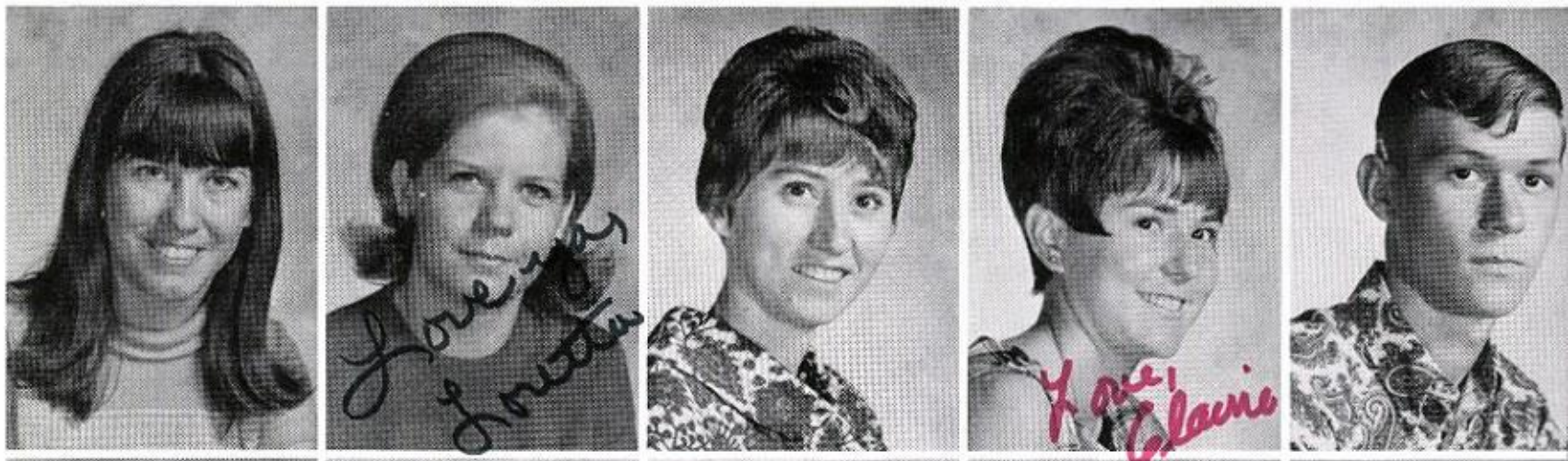

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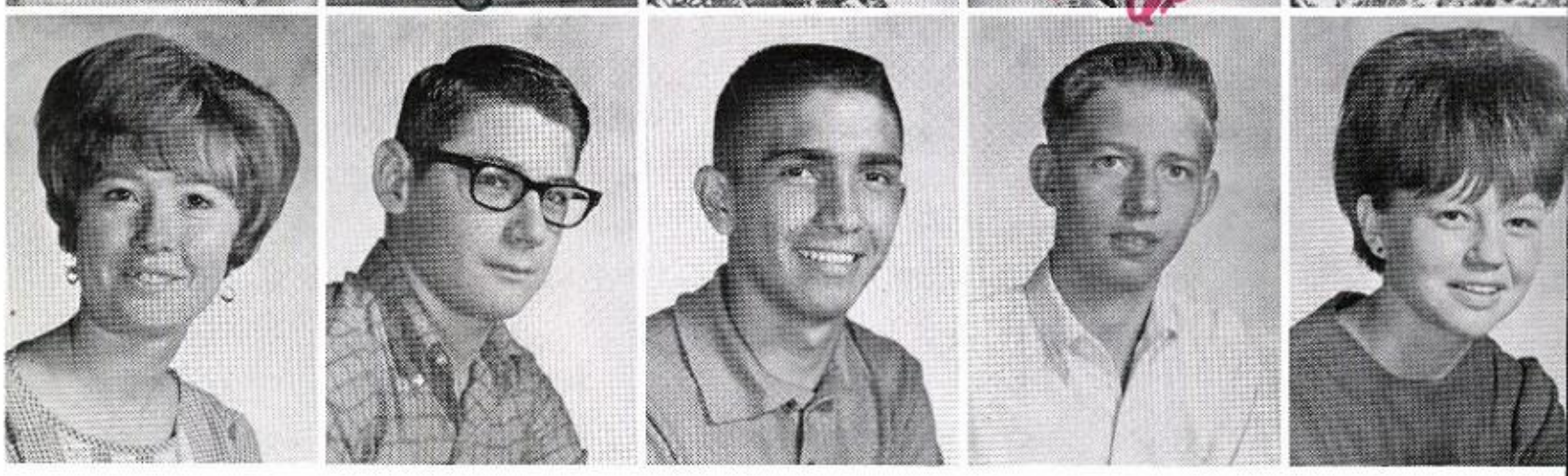
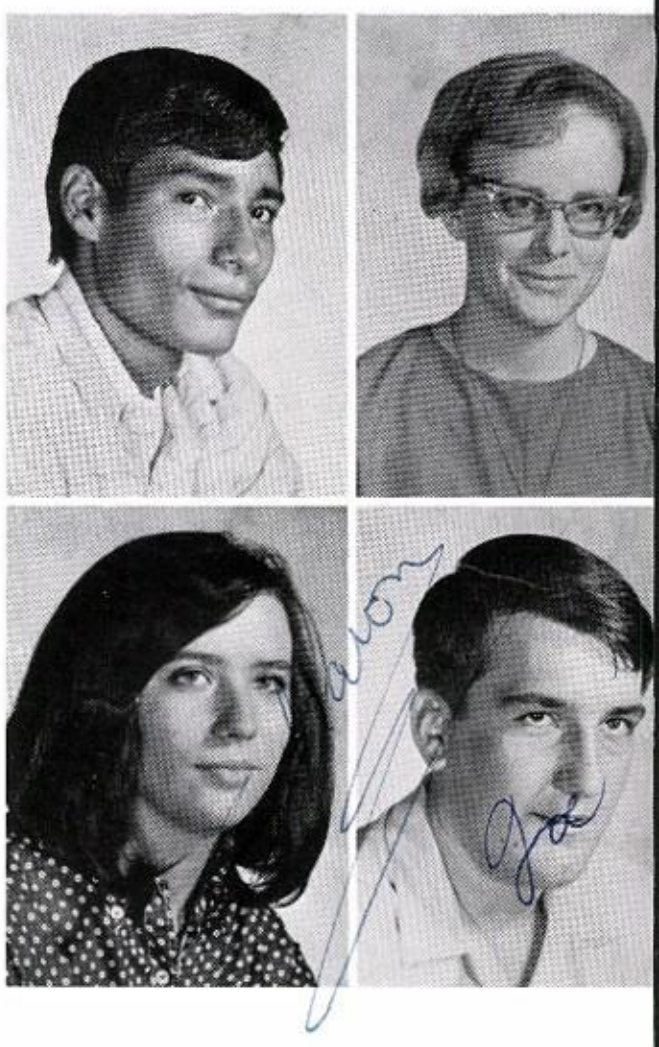
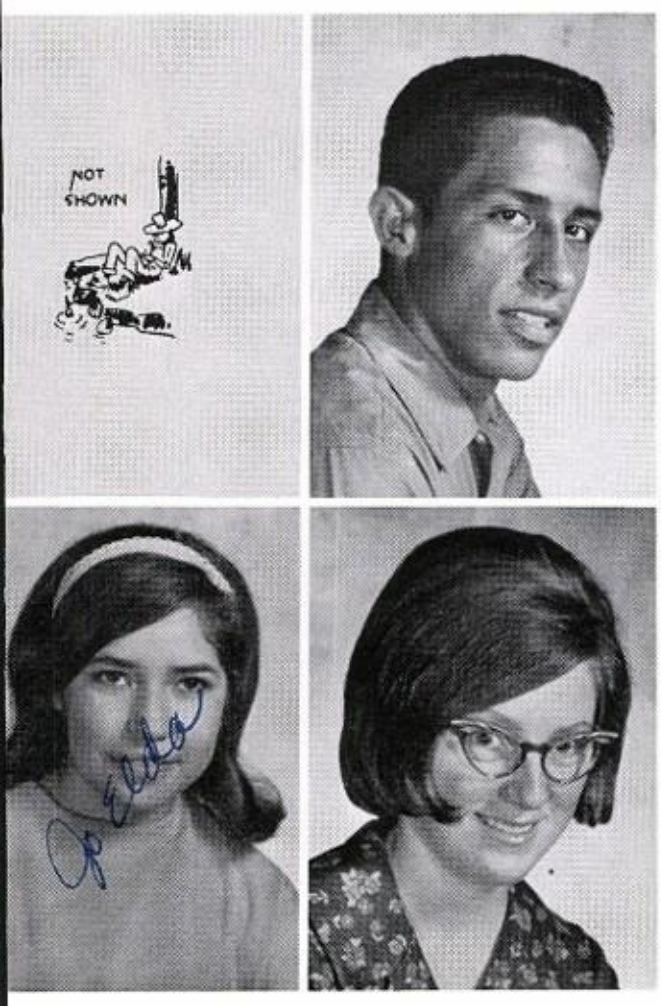
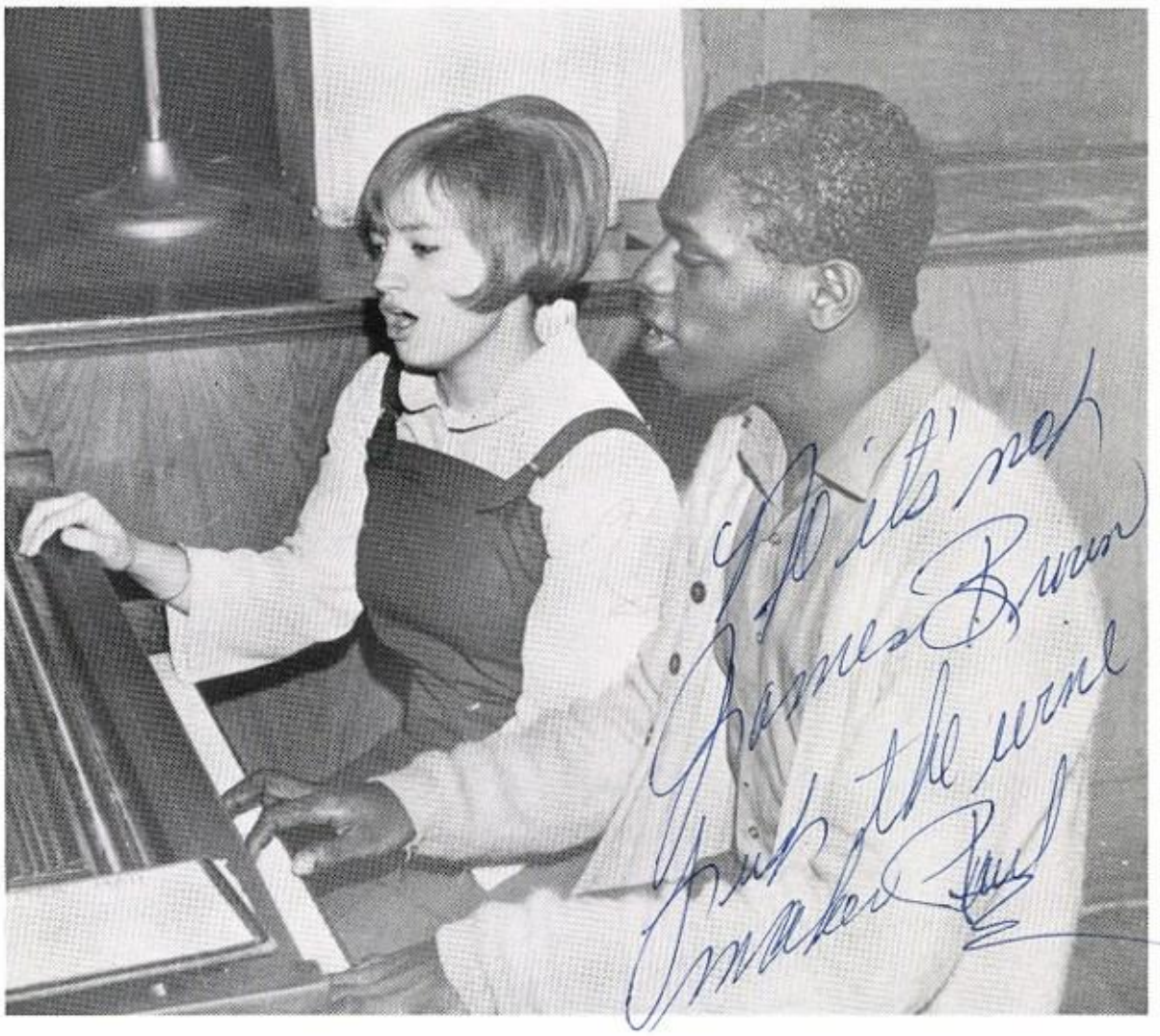
Lorenzo Pena
Larry Piel
Vickey Prince
Jo Elda Rodriquez
Deborah Routh



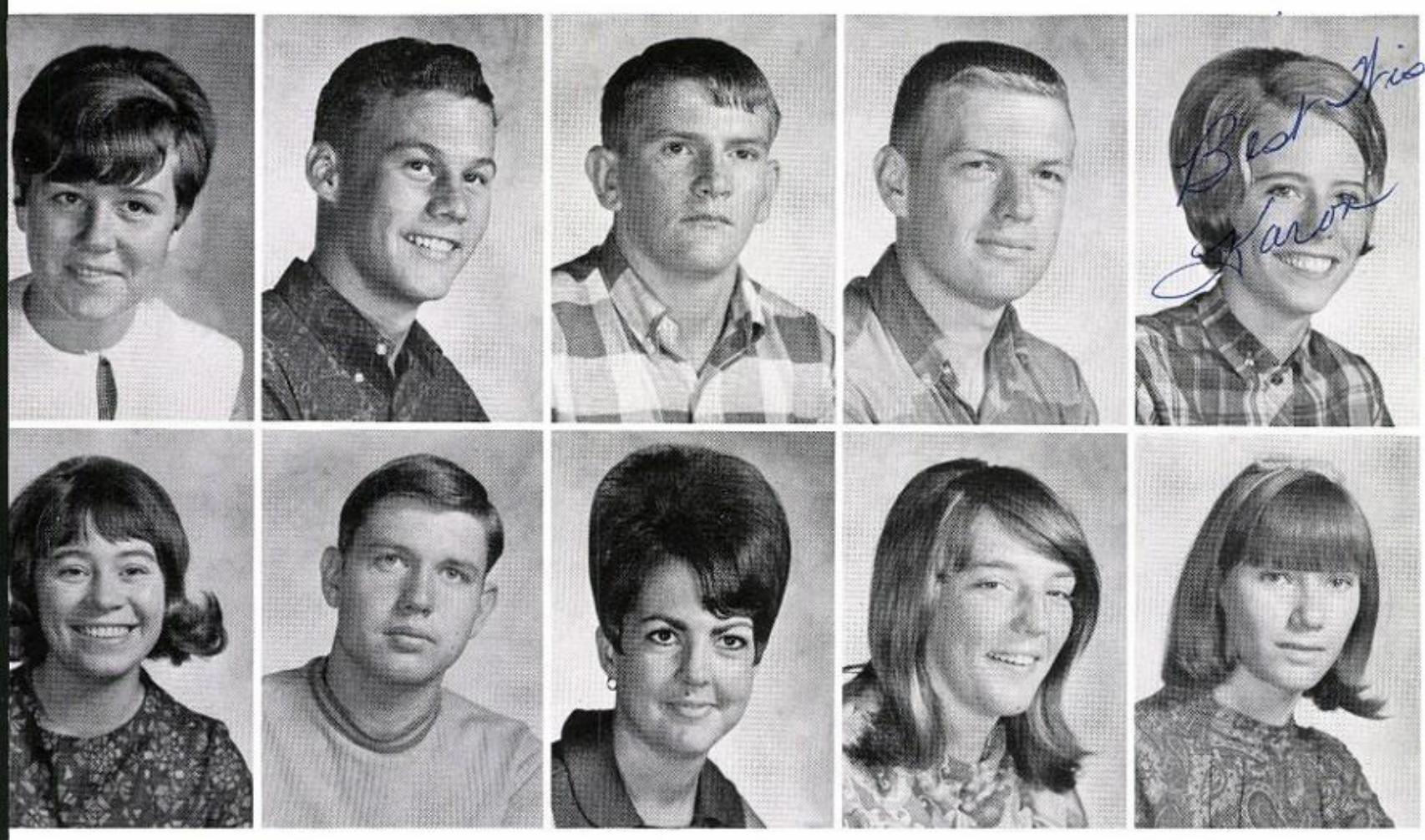
Oops, these students are smarter than we expected.







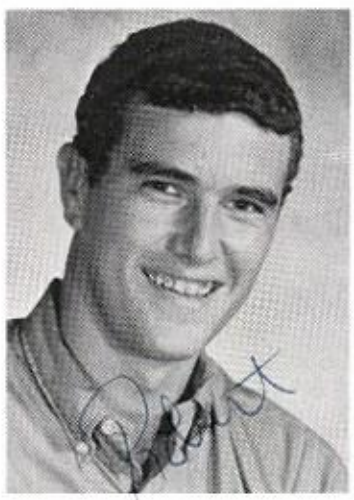
Paul and Mary represented the Ballinger High School student body in grand style when they made All-Region Choir.



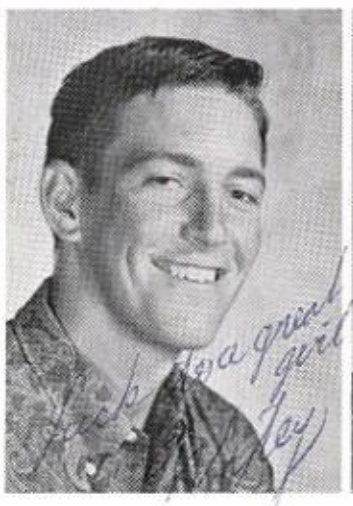
Johnny Salinas
Judy Schwertner
Tommy Jean Searls
Doyle Sellers
Johnny Shelton
Glenn Shepard
Karon Simmons

Sharon Simmons
Joe Stockton
Kathy Stokes
Gary Thomas
Jinx Traylor
Donna Walker
Norma Waller

This is what dinner did to these students.



Robert Watts



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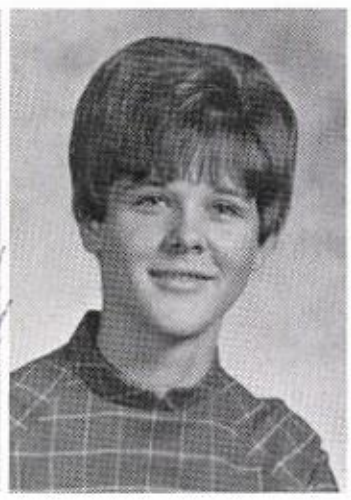

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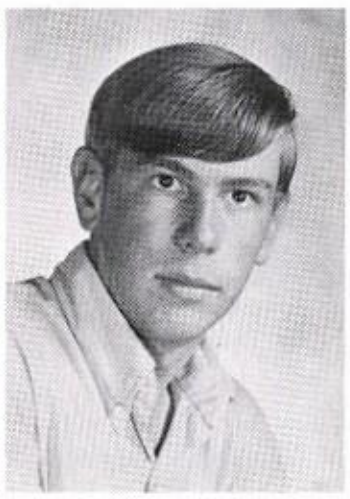

Bill Wood

Jim Yarnell

These girls are doing research on their term themes.

SOPHOMORES

How should you prepare yourself for the future? What major field do you want to enter? When you first enter high school your mind is full of questions about what you want to be and how to reach that position. In the future you will find jobs that are not even in existence today.

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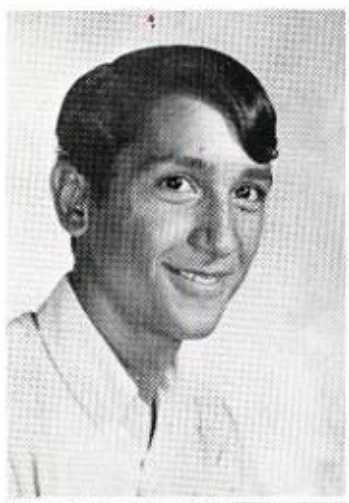
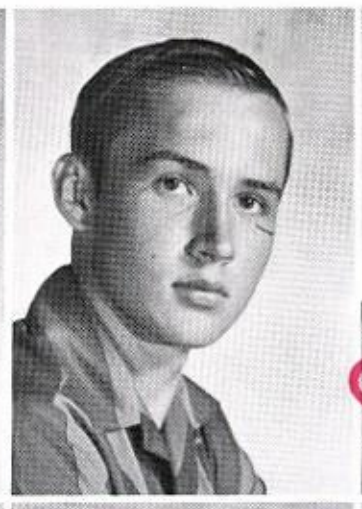
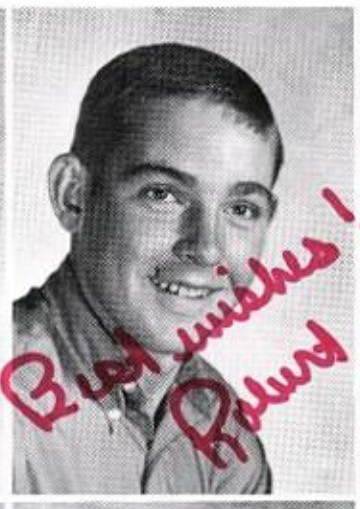
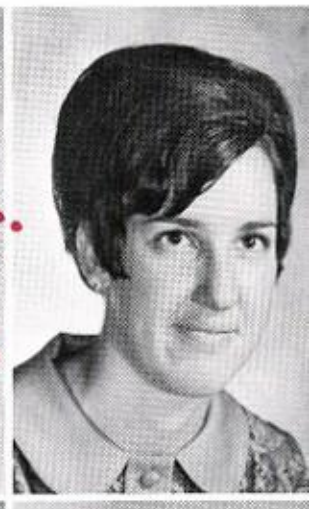
Weldon Barrow
Zane Beck
Robert Boothe
Donna Bounds
Joann Bradshaw
Ysario Campos





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Randall Collins
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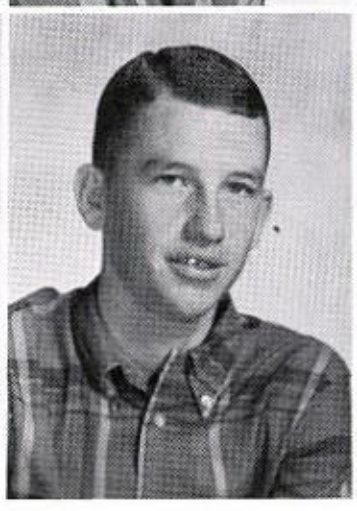

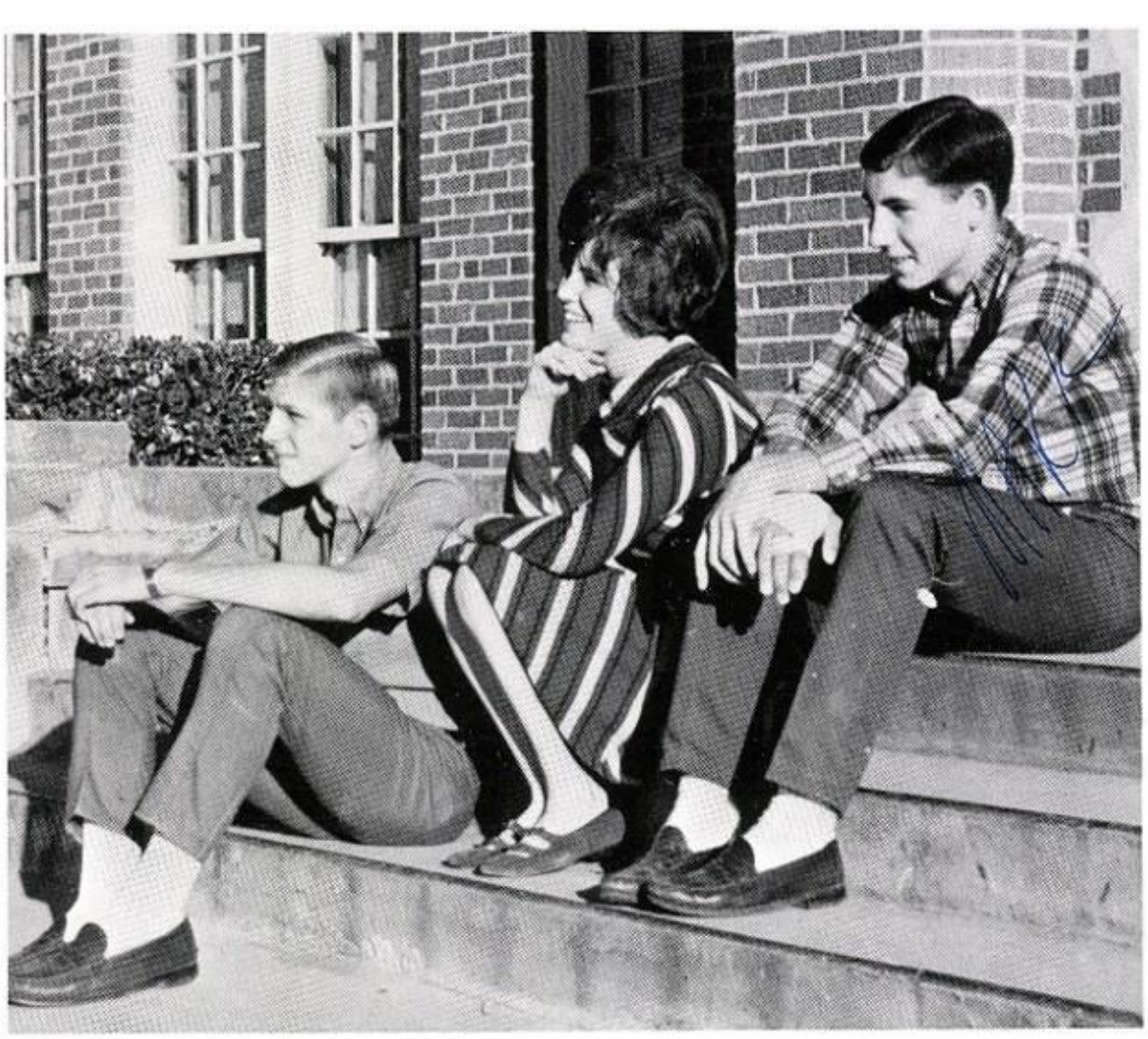

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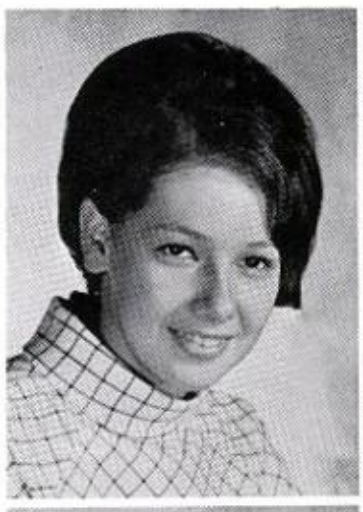
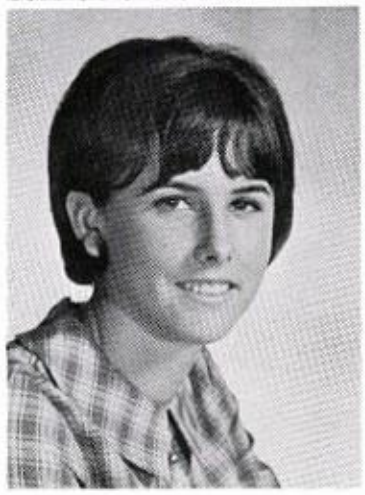
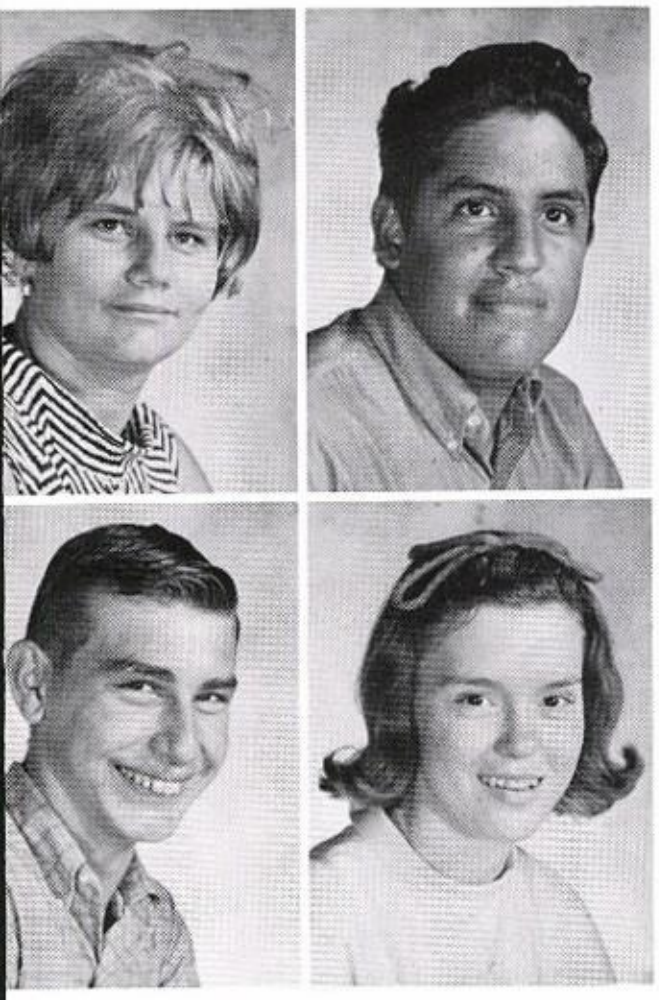
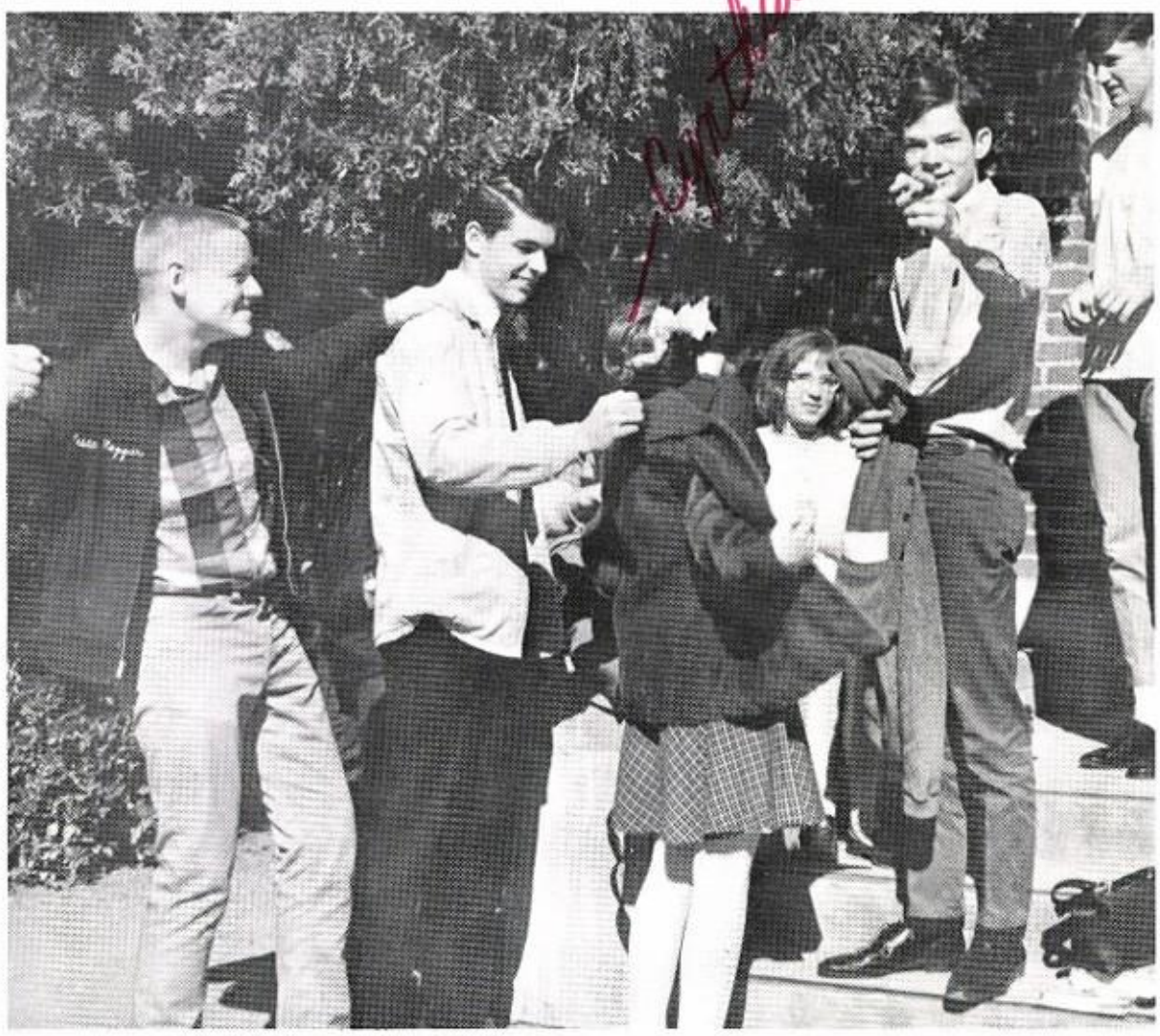
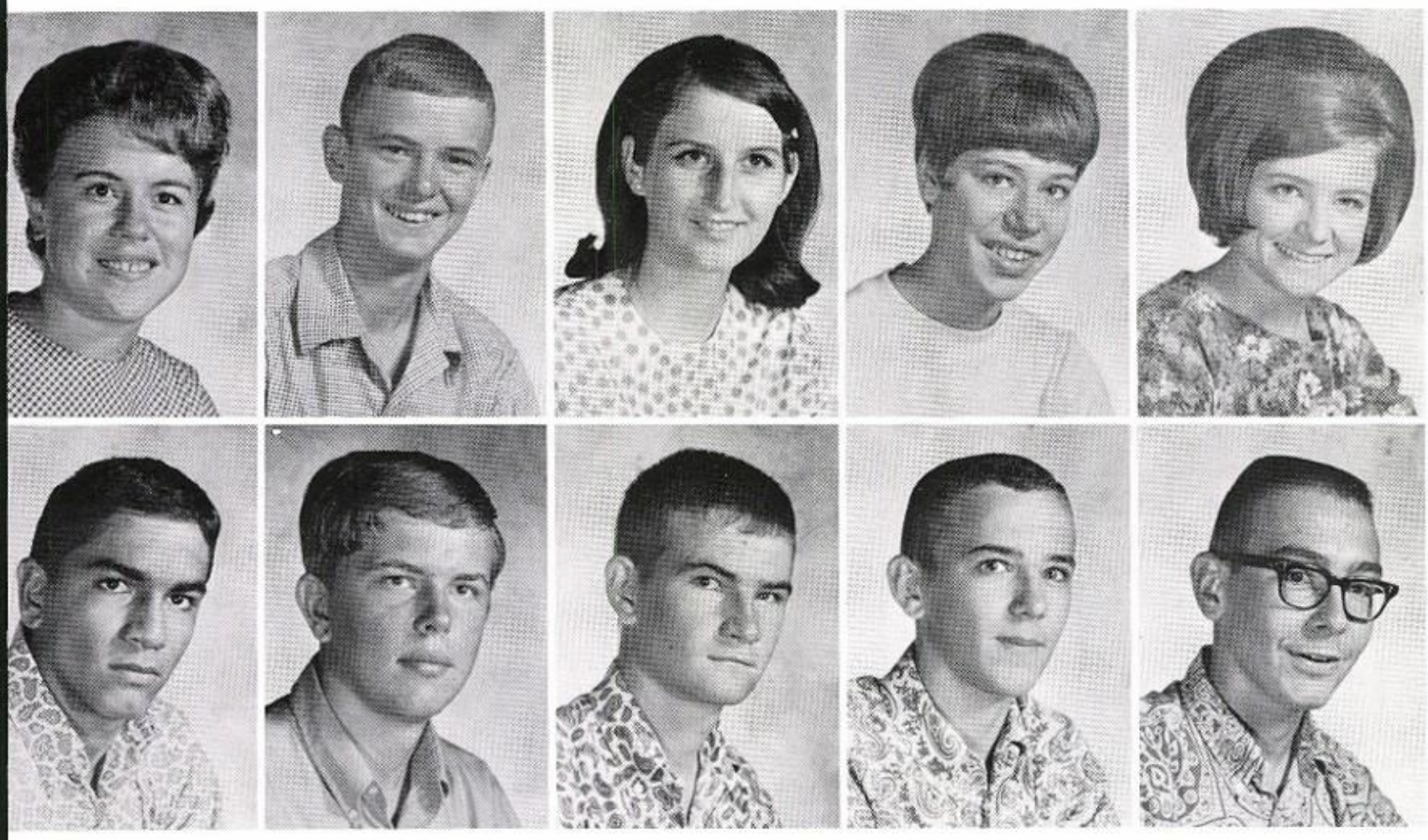








Hopper to the rescue!



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Edith Dankworth
Jack Farmer
Leann Farris
Arlene Fischer
Melinda Fiveash

Linda Freeman
Pete Garcia
Jimmy Gomez
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Larry Halfmann
Jim Harral

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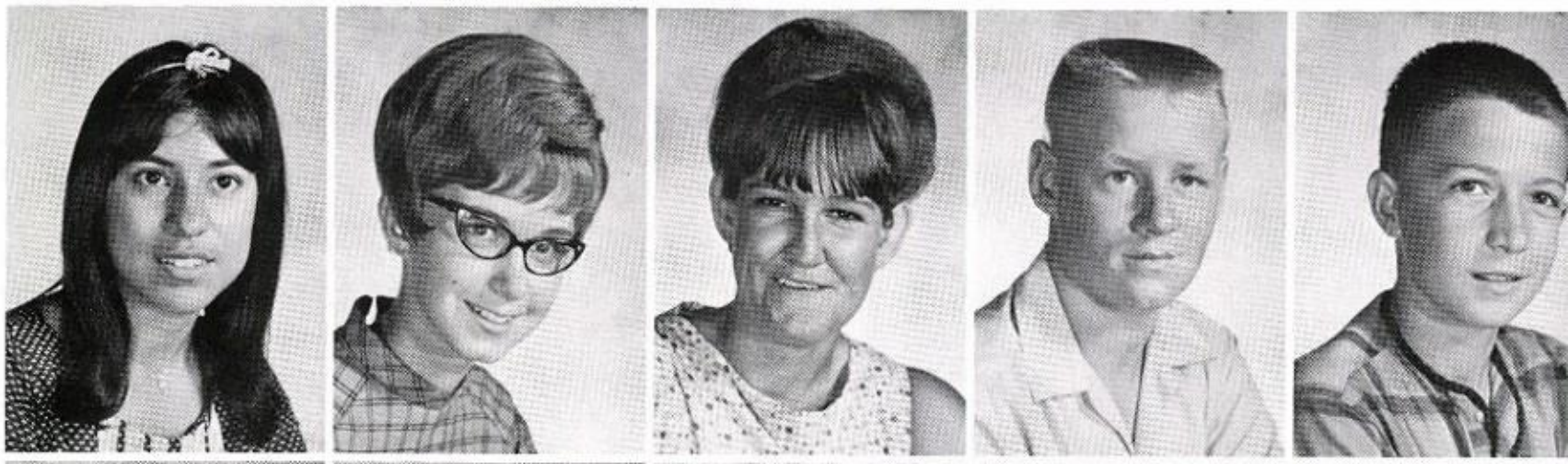

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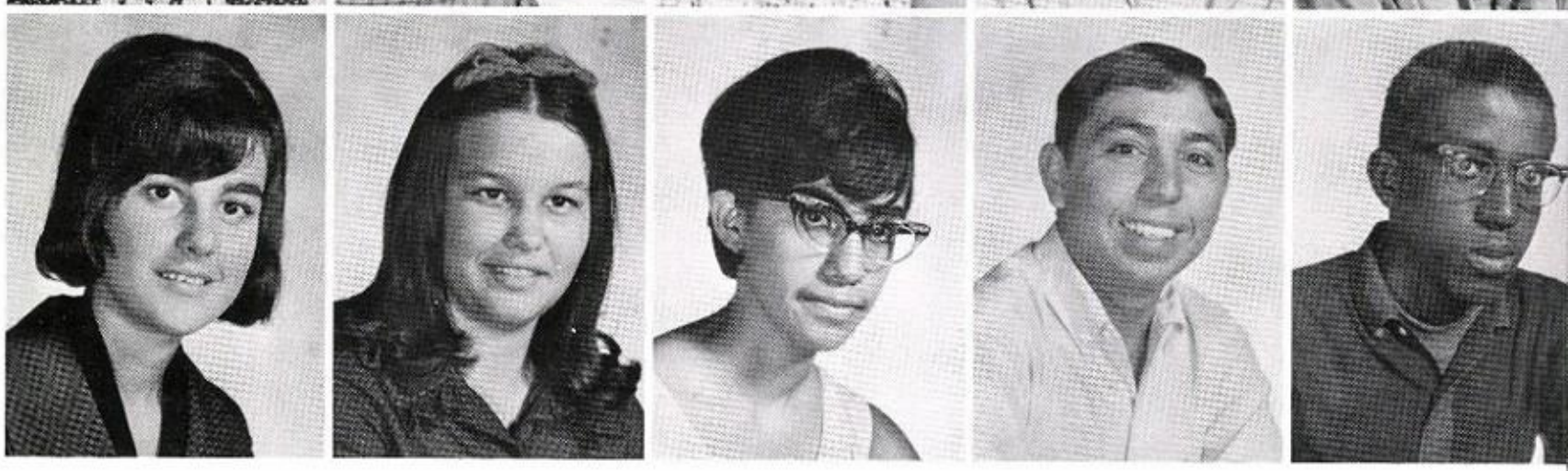
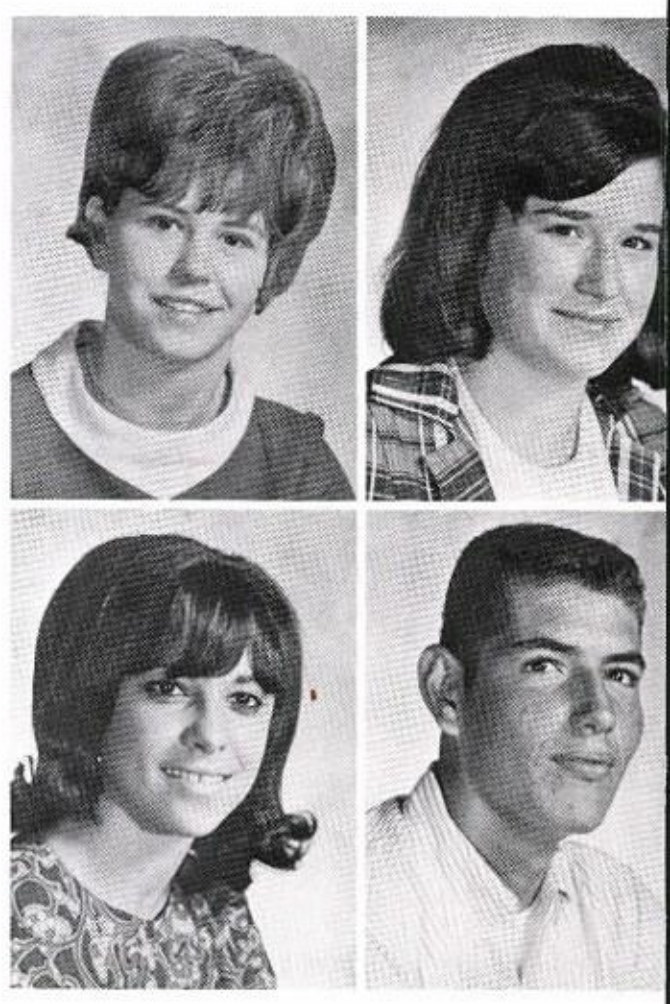
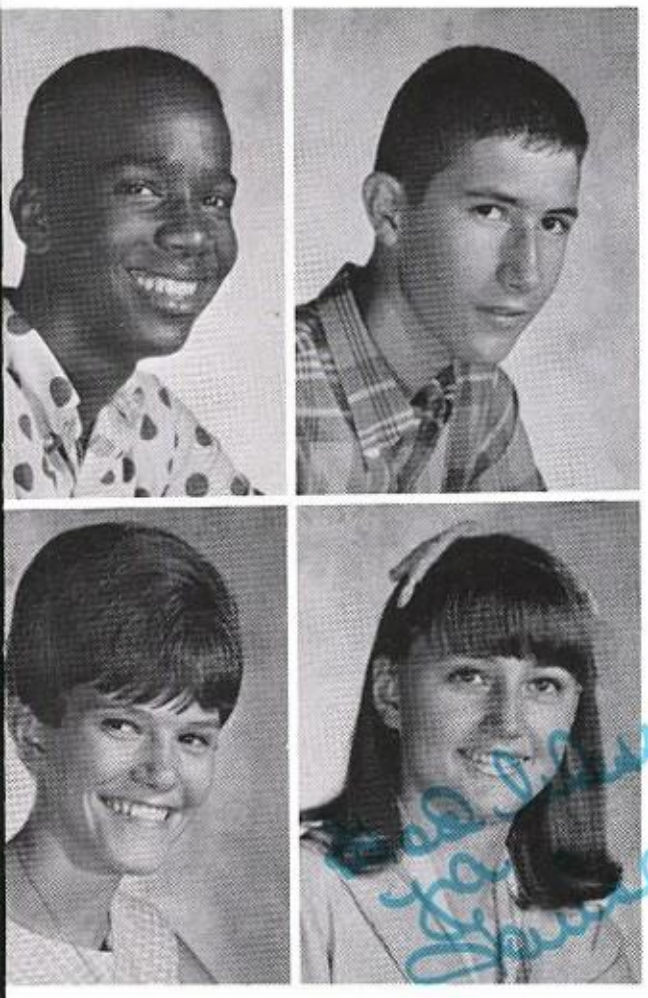
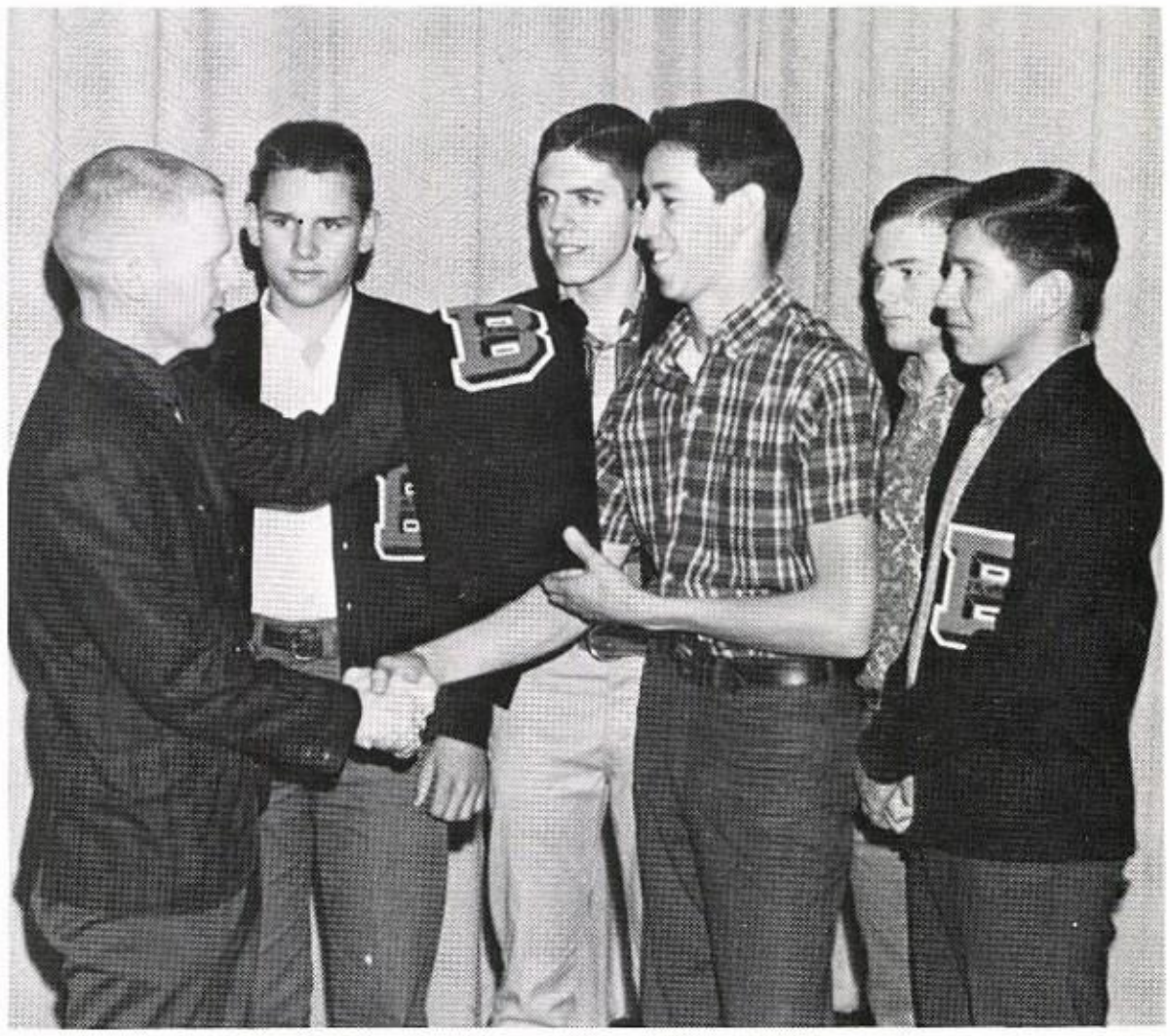
Oscar Johnson
Laura Jones
Louise Kilpatrick



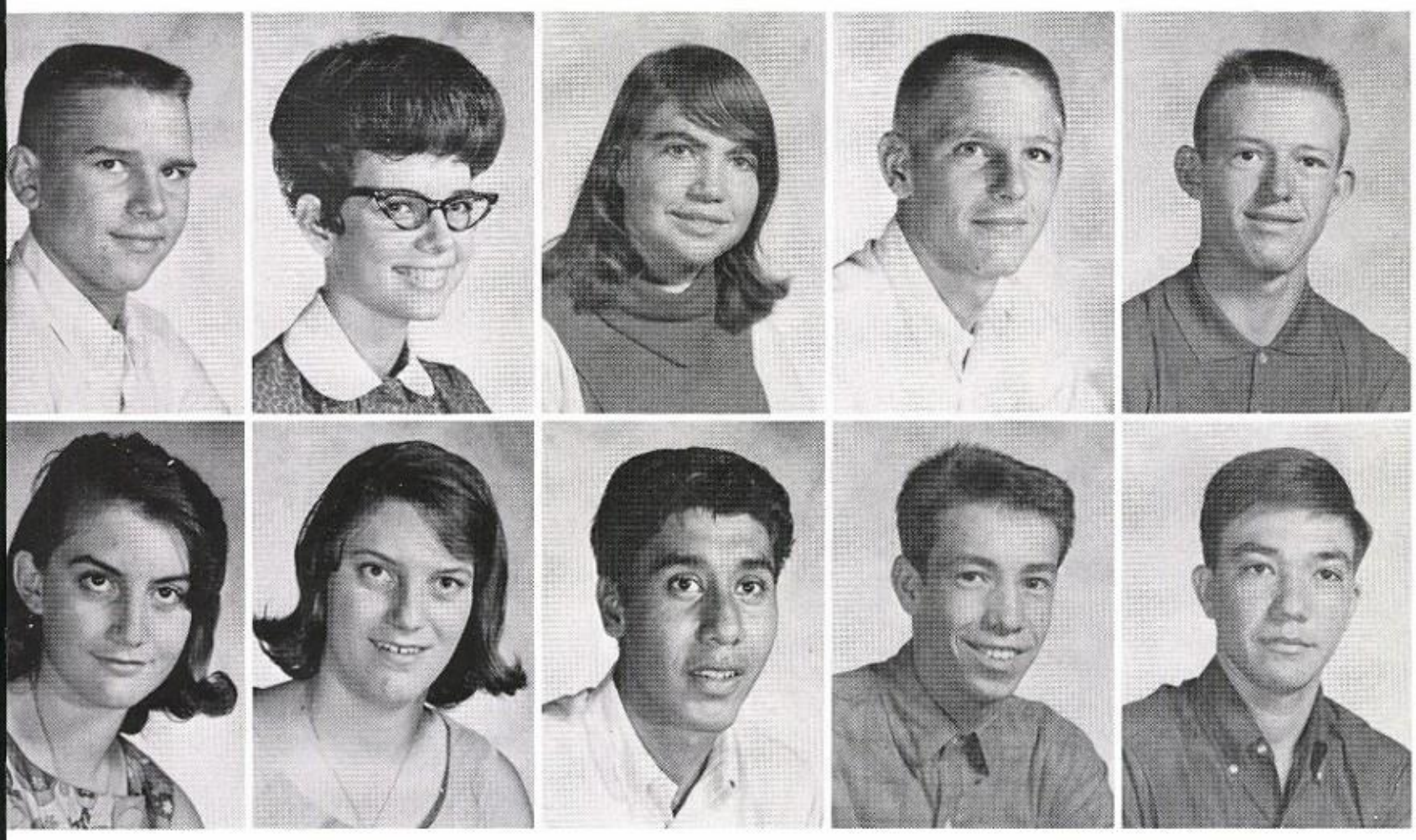
Greenhands never cease in their attempts to please their superiors.







A proud coach expresses himself to his team.



Paula Knauth
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William Lembard
Debra Lange
Karen Lee
Freddy Lippe
Billy Don Lowe

Carolyn Lowry
Jesse Martinez
Margie Matthews
Marilyn Matthews
Tony Medrano
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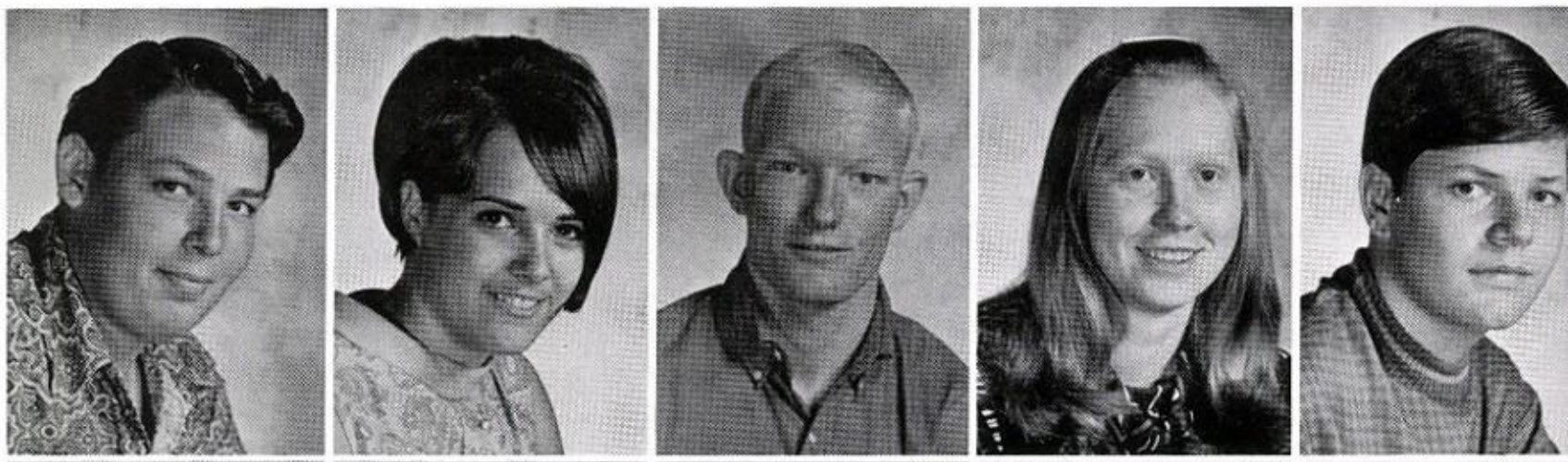

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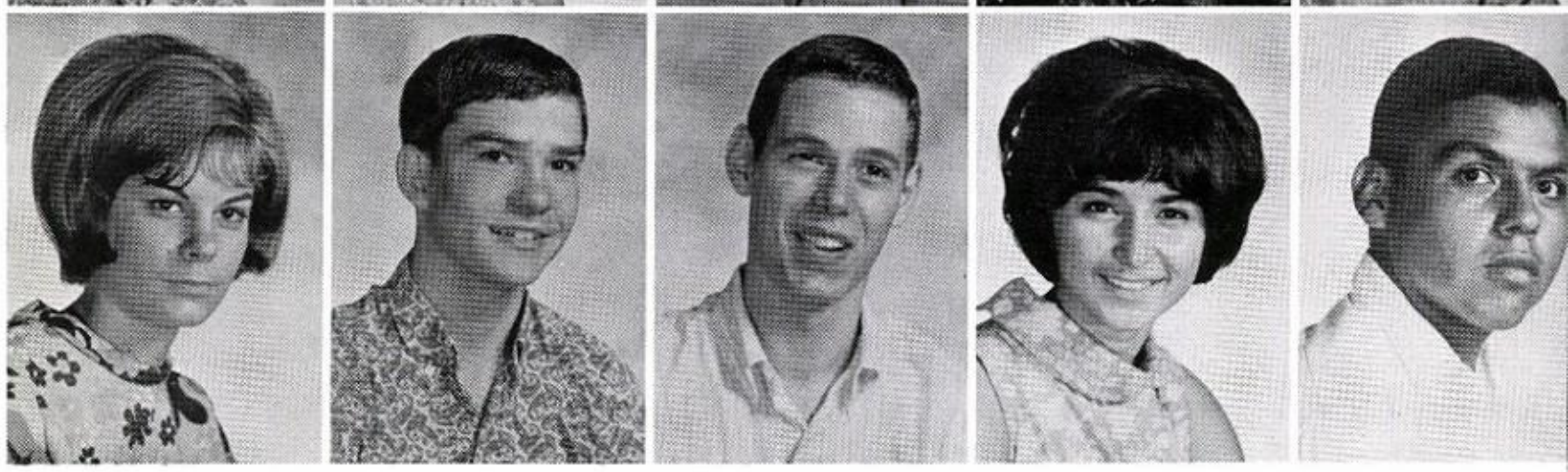
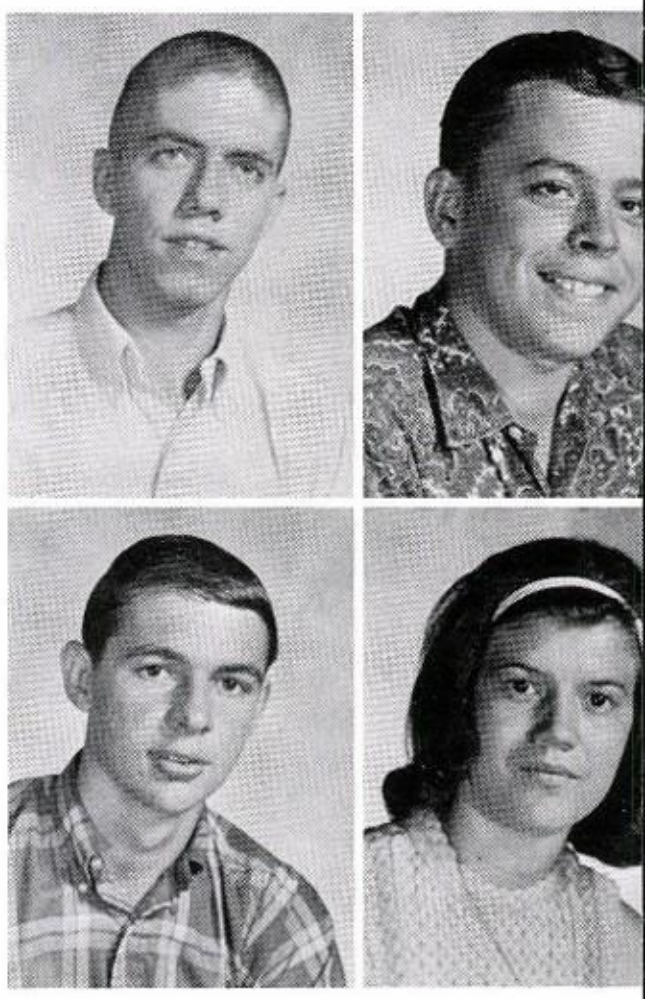
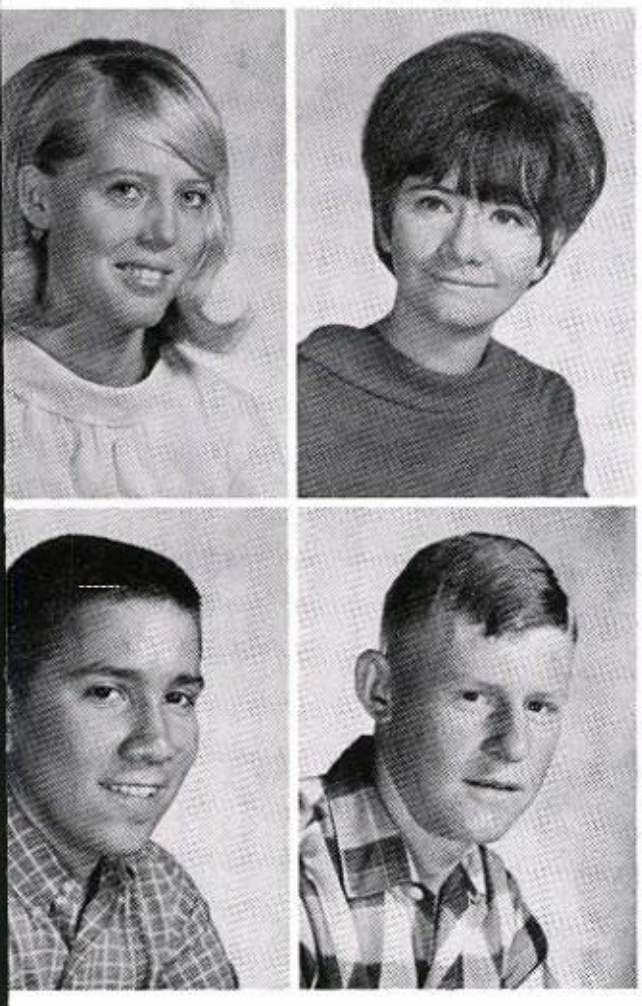
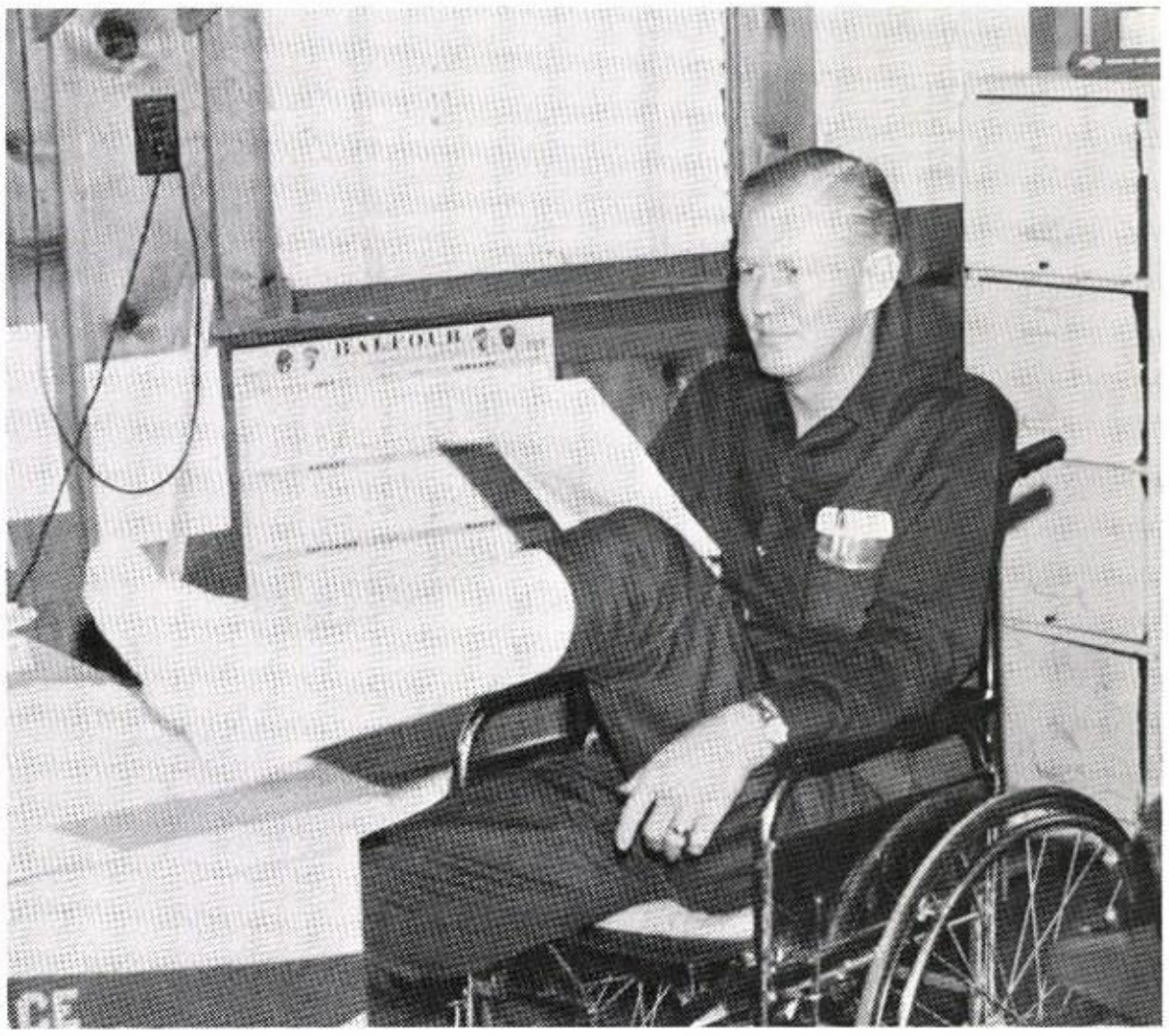


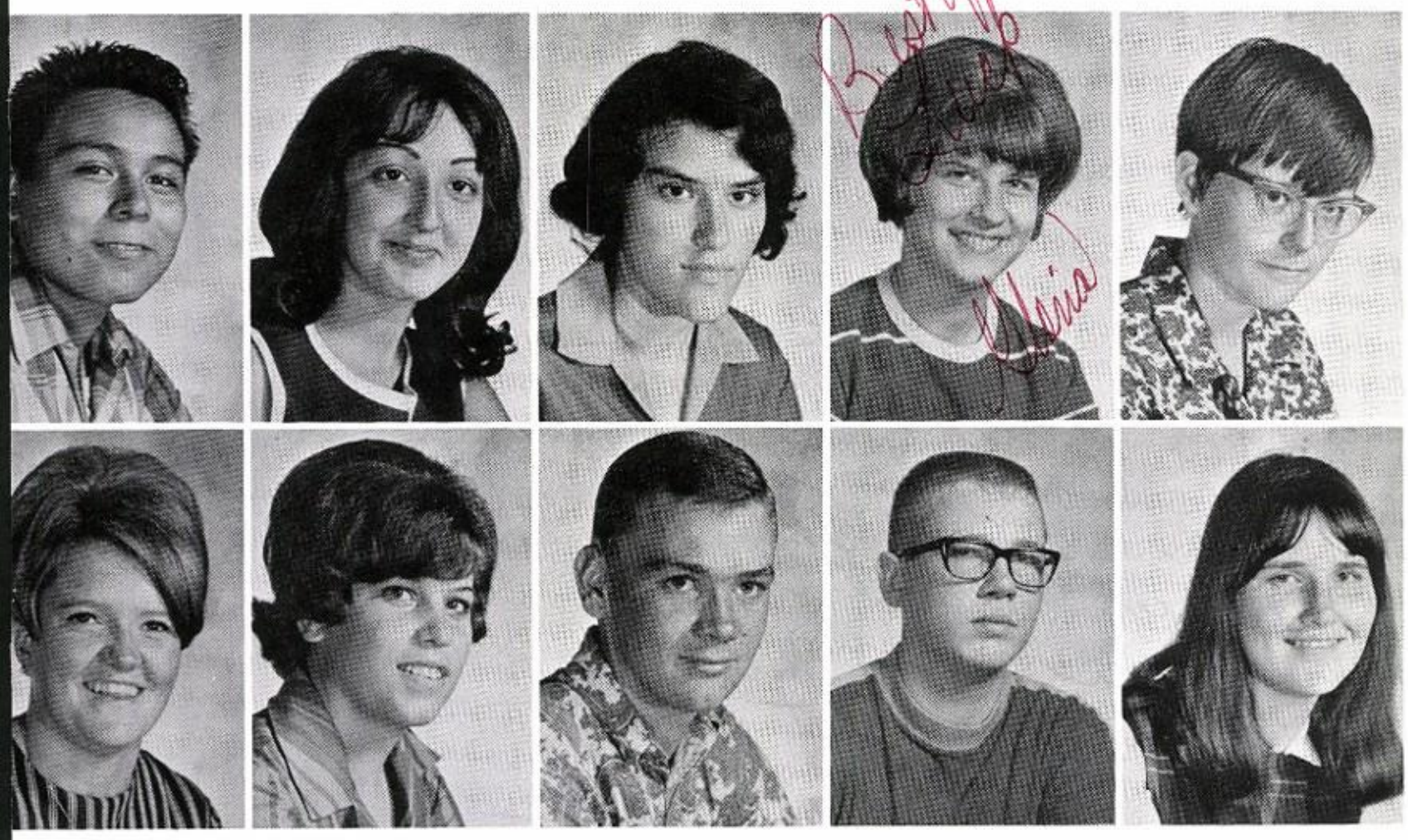
"If there's one man I really love it's Santa Claus," says Sharon.







"If you don't mind, I believe I'll pass calling the next football game."



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Glen Pullin
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Jolie Ramos
Betty Ringle
Gloria Routh
Teresa Schwertner

Kenneth Sherman
Deborah Smith
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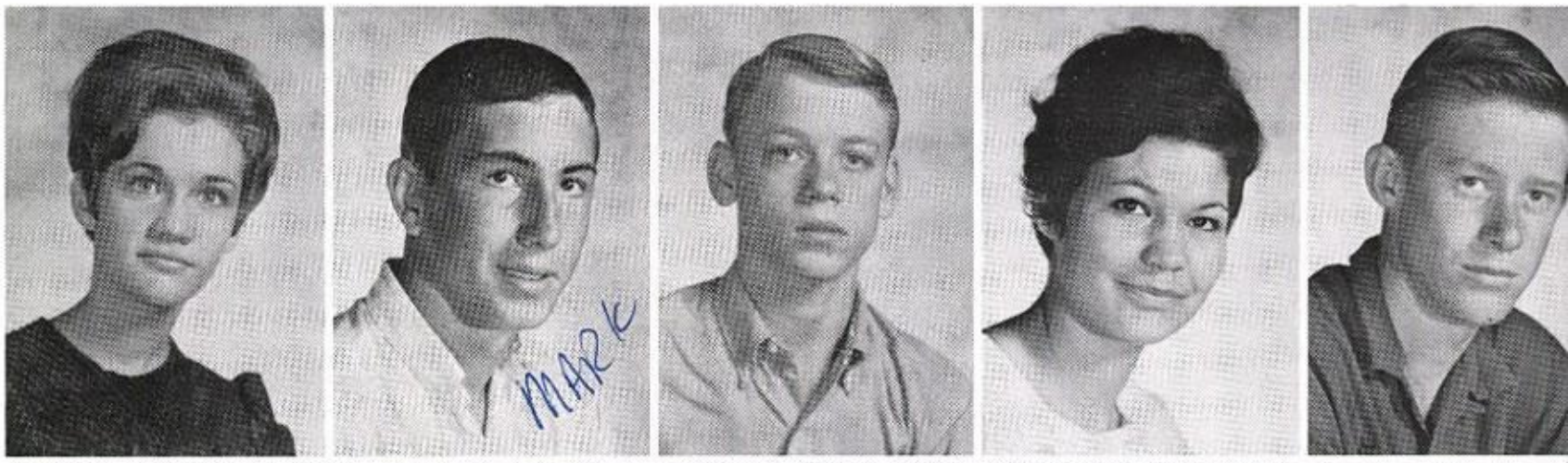

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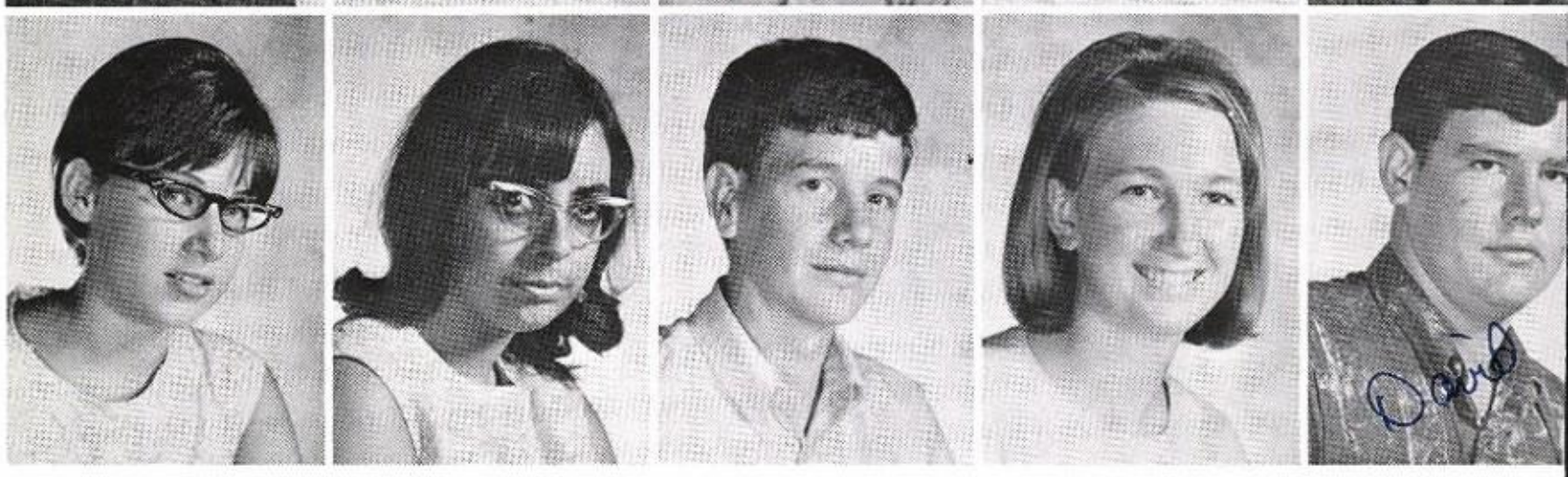
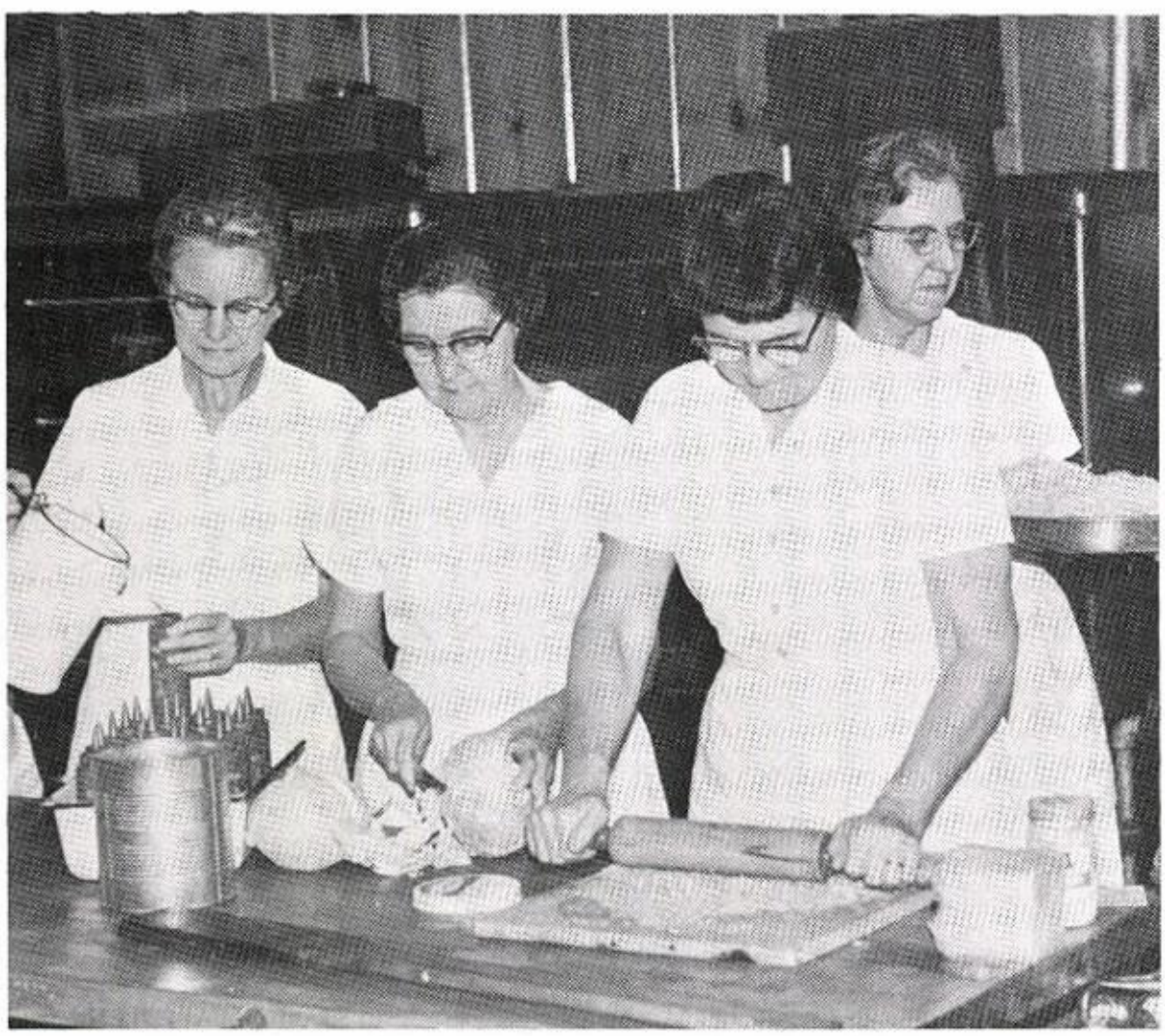
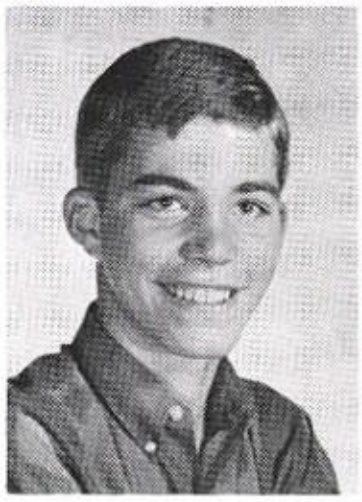
Emyln Watson
Jackie Watts
Kay Wiley
David Workman





"All you add is love."



David Yarnell

Dennis Curry

FAVORITES

How well the world is able to communicate will be an important factor in the future. The life or death of millions of people may depend upon how well one person can communicate his thoughts in words to another. Each individual, in order to live peaceably, will need to communicate with those around him. We will work to break down the barriers of prejudice, bigotry, and ignorance that keep us from a real understanding and communication with our fellow man.

"Our Favorite"

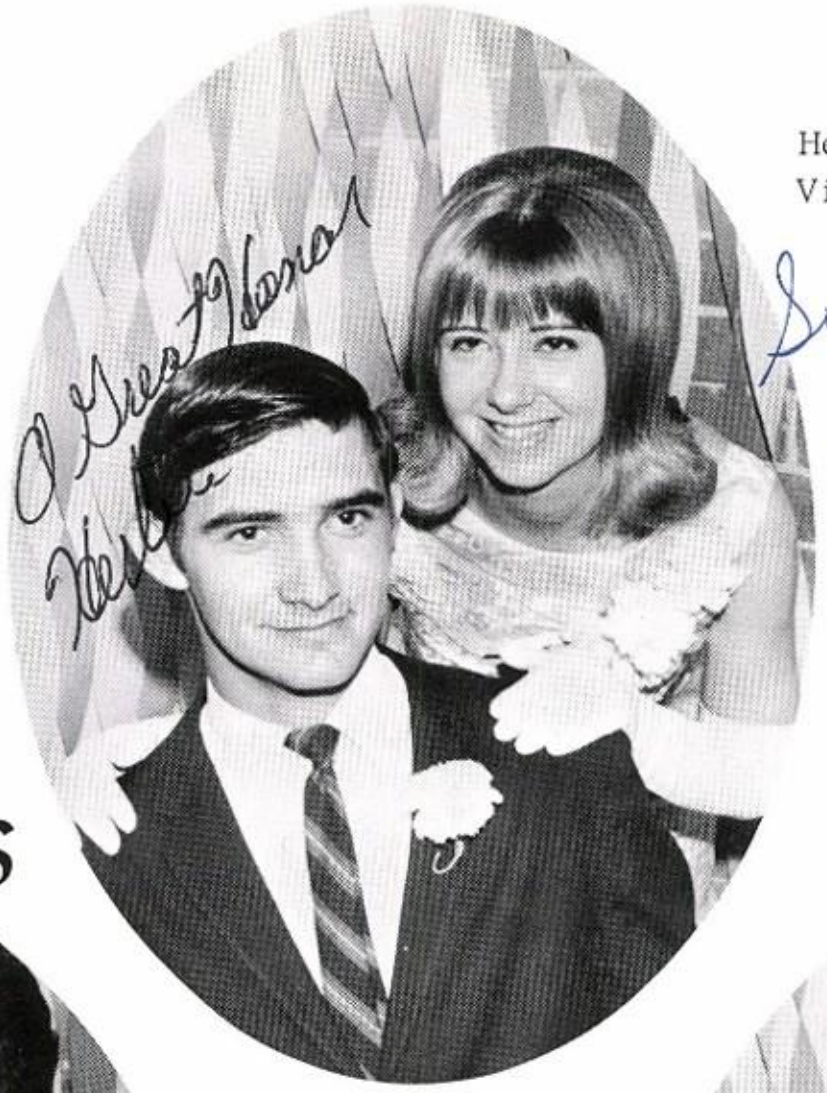
Mr. Joe A. Forester

The PAW PRINTS Staff of 1968 would like to take this opportunity to recognize our favorite "Favorite," Mr. Joe A. Forester. Ballinger High School will not be the same without that friendly little man walking through its halls. Mr. Forester has dedicated his life to serving young people. He has served well the red and black for the past 24 years. He is the type of person that everyone loves and wants to be around. He has personal interest in all the students and takes time from his work to help anyone. The staff and the rest of the student body would like to wish "Papa Joe" the very best life has to offer.

"Greater men may have lived, but we doubt it!"

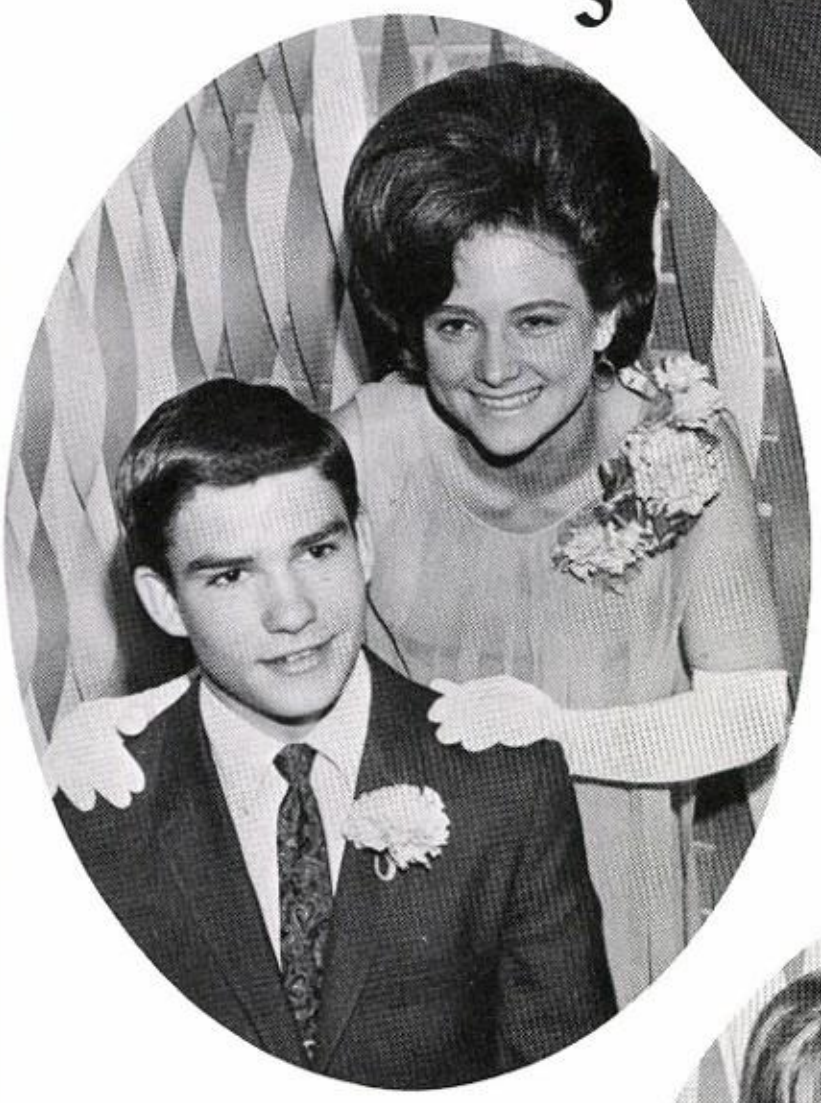
Dear Martha,
I think it goes without saying what I think about you & you have been a great student and friend. I could always depend on you & the reason I chose you for the important 4th period in the office & appreciate you and what you have meant to me personally and to our school. I wish you good luck in College and in life.
Sincerely, Joe A Forester

DUCHESS AND DUKES



Herbie Goetz
Vicki Lee

Such a great honor!
Love, Vicki

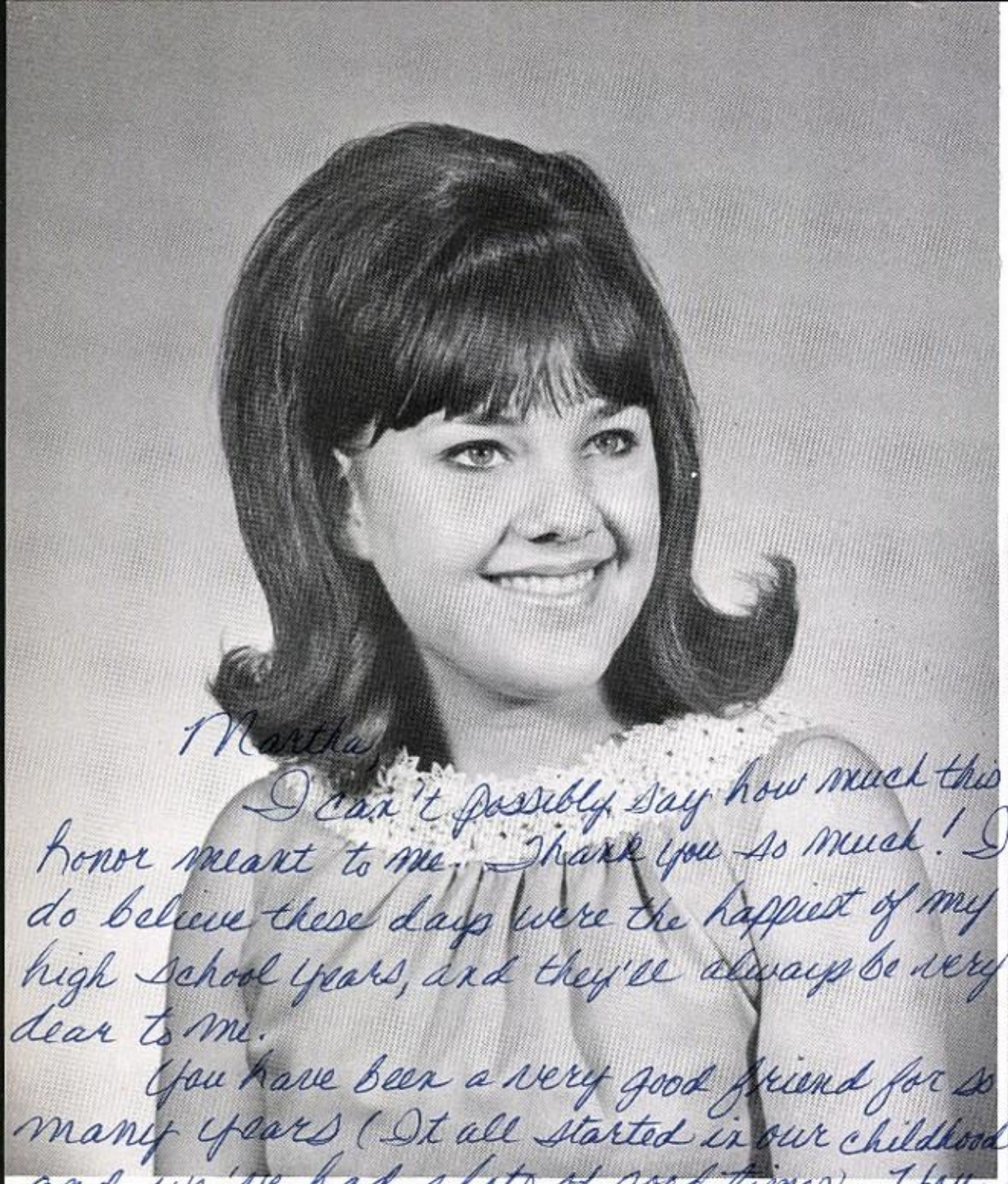


David Parrish
Melinda Fiveash

Barry Legg
Donna Sharps

'Chipper' Harrell
Sherrie Lange

B.H.S. Queen



Judy Burkes

Reigning as queen of Ballinger High School is truly one of the highest honors a person could receive. A finer student body than we have cannot be found, and I am proud to be elected to represent B. H. S. I will remember this honor as an important part of my wonderful high school years at Ballinger High.

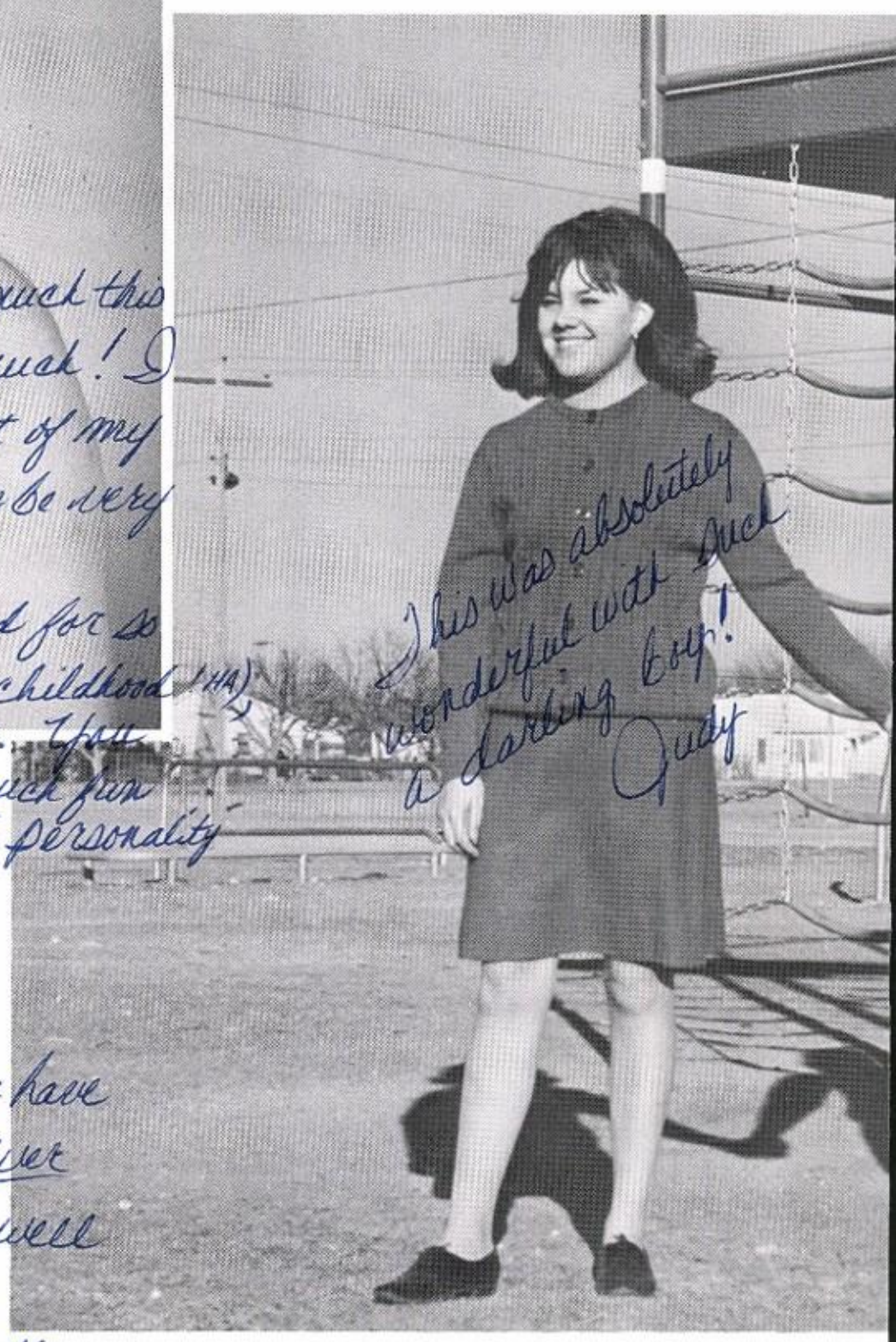
Martha,

I can't possibly say how much this honor meant to me. Thank you so much! I do believe these days were the happiest of my high school years, and they'll always be very dear to me.

You have been a very good friend for so many years (It all started in our childhood days) and we've had a lots of good times. You are such a cute girl and so much fun to be around. Just keep your great personality always! Martha, I hope you and Andy have a very happy life together — if he'll ever come home to stay! I understand as well as anyone, and I am sympathetic.

Our senior year has been exactly what we expected, and it doesn't seem possible that we'll be leaving BHS so soon. After all these years of wishing we were out, it's really sad to go. However, there's so much for us to look forward to. I'll be seeing you at ASC, and I hope we can have more great times together. Good luck always and God bless you.

I love you!
Judy



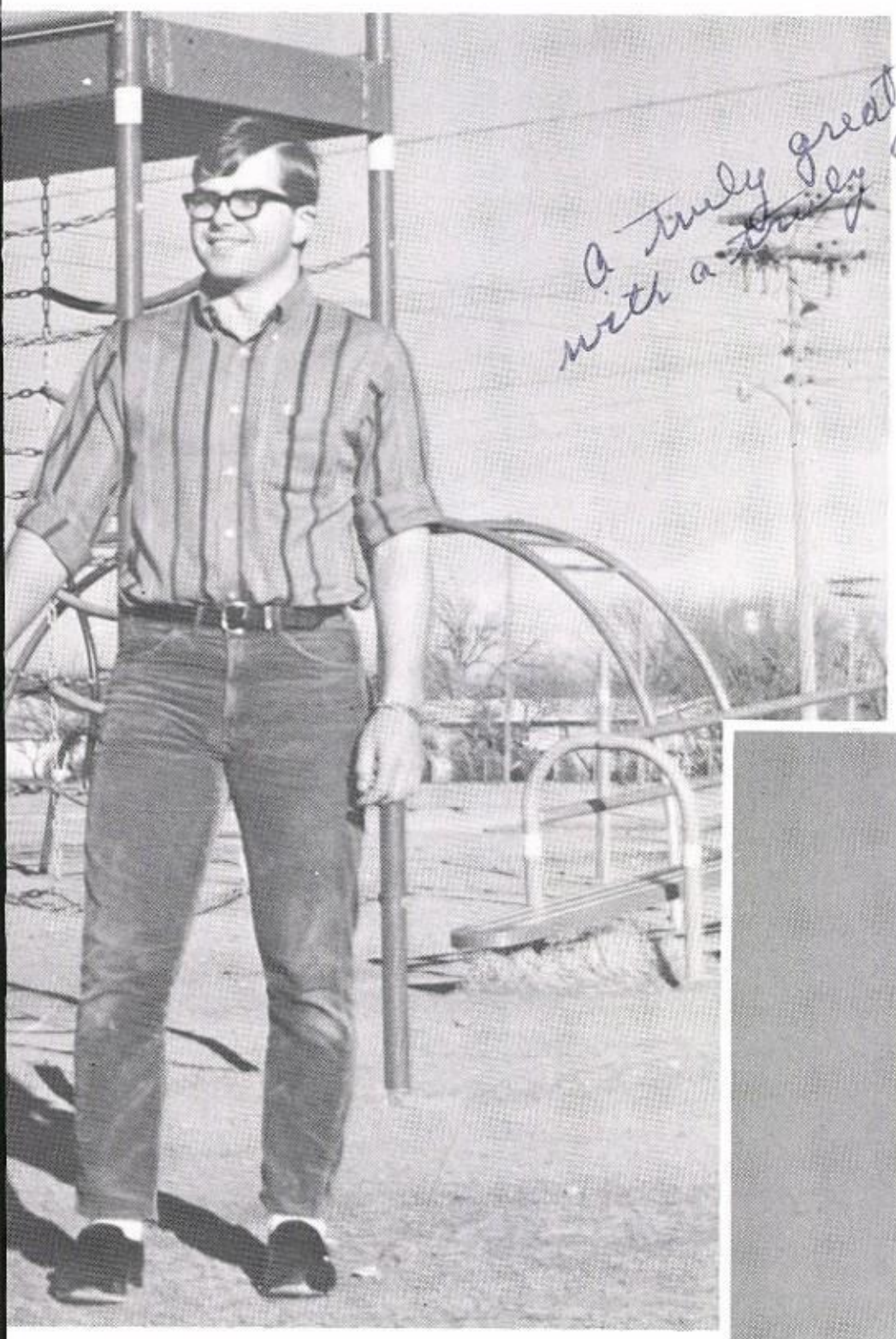
This was absolutely wonderful with such a darling boy!
Judy

Well-Judy-are you ready to tackle

Seniors '68

ARMY?
NAVY

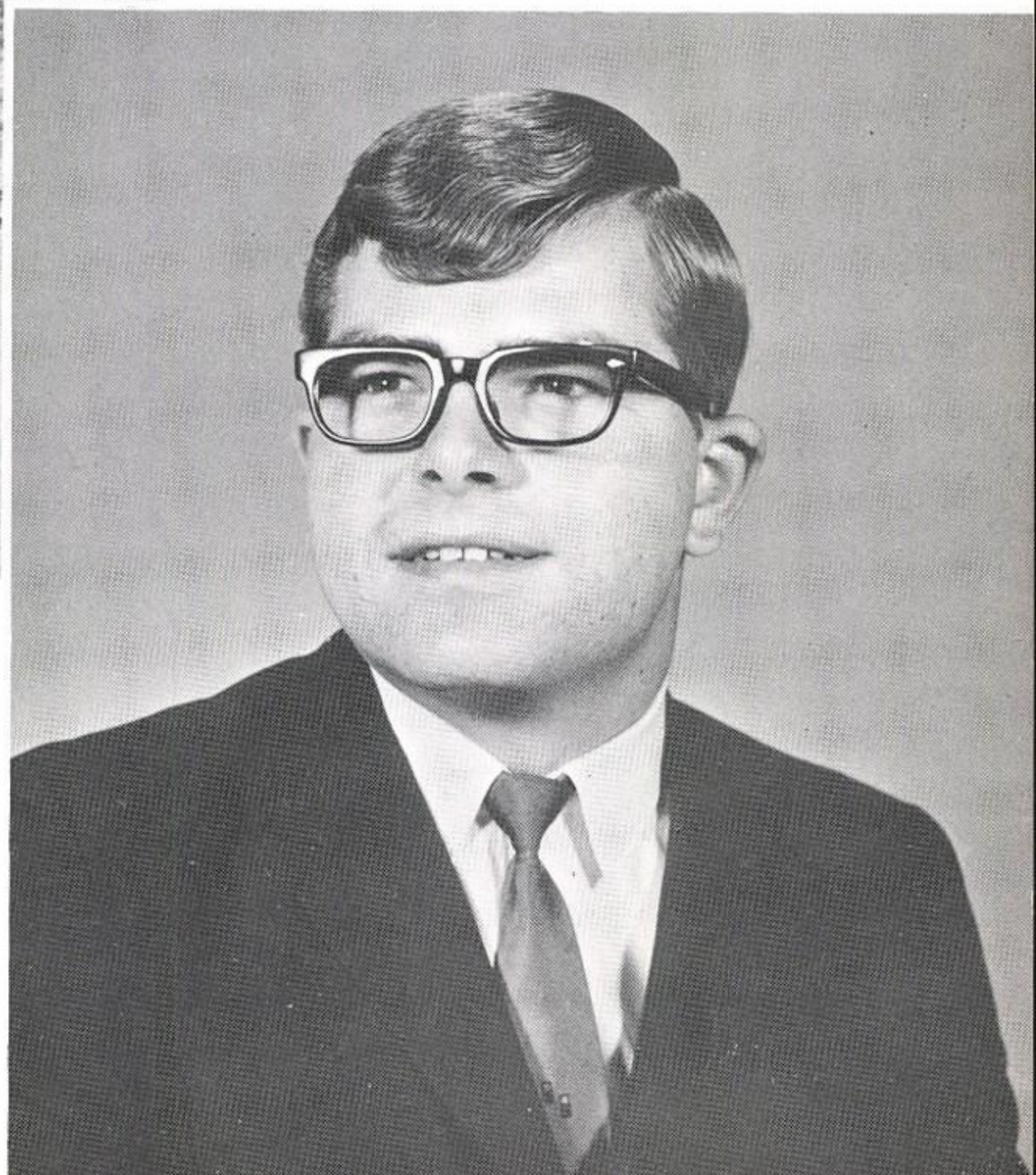
B.H.S. King
F.H.A. King



A truly great honor
with a truly great girl.
Barry

I appreciate the students of 1968 for treating me royally. They all belong to the nobility in my estimation.

Barry Hilliard



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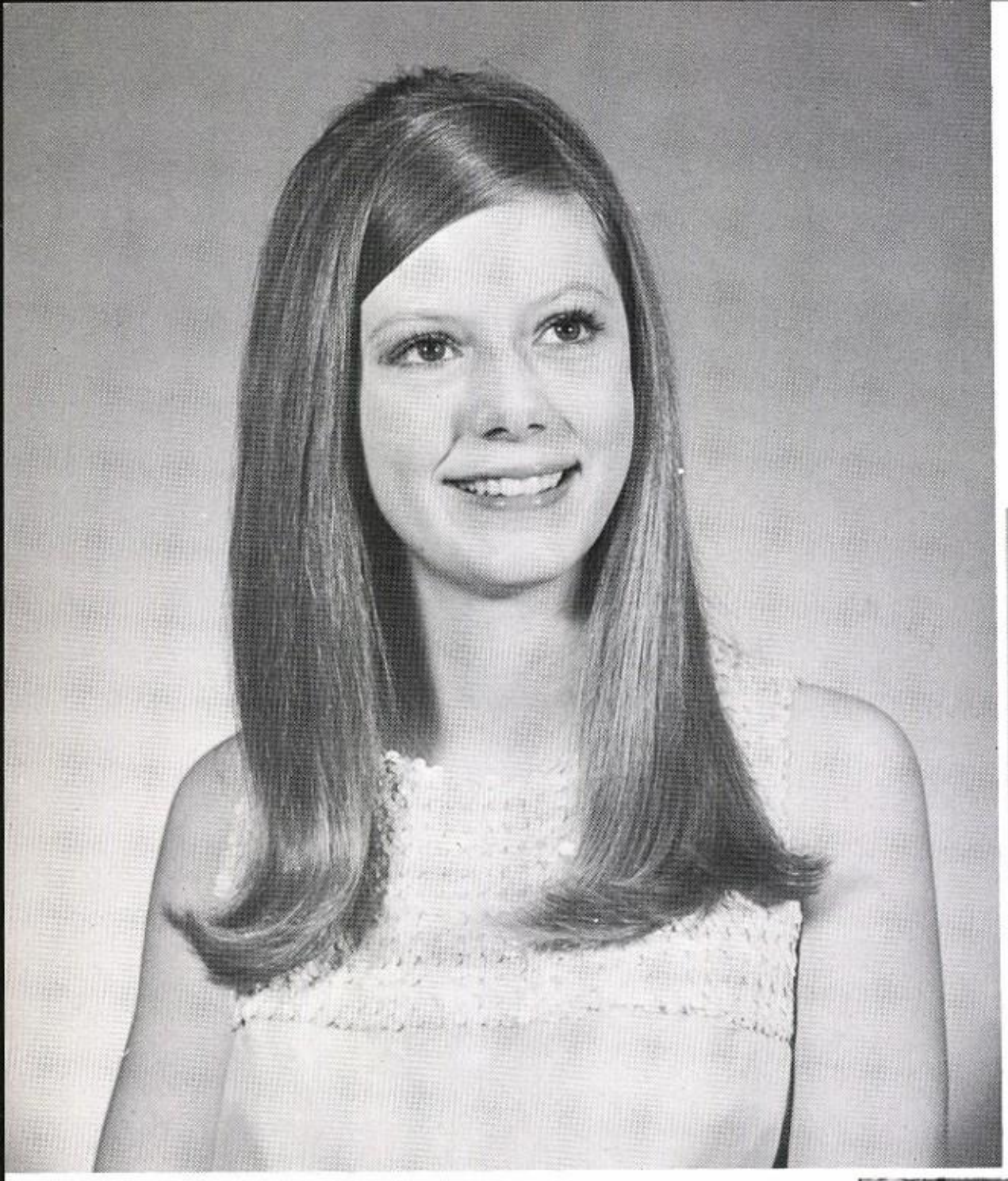
B.J.H.S. Queen



Peggy Butts

My years in Junior High School have been full of new experiences that have passed faster than I could have imagined. It's hard to visualize the Bearcubs becoming Bearcats and I am sure they will work hard to deserve this name. As this year goes by, I will be looking forward to High School and the challenges of the years to follow.

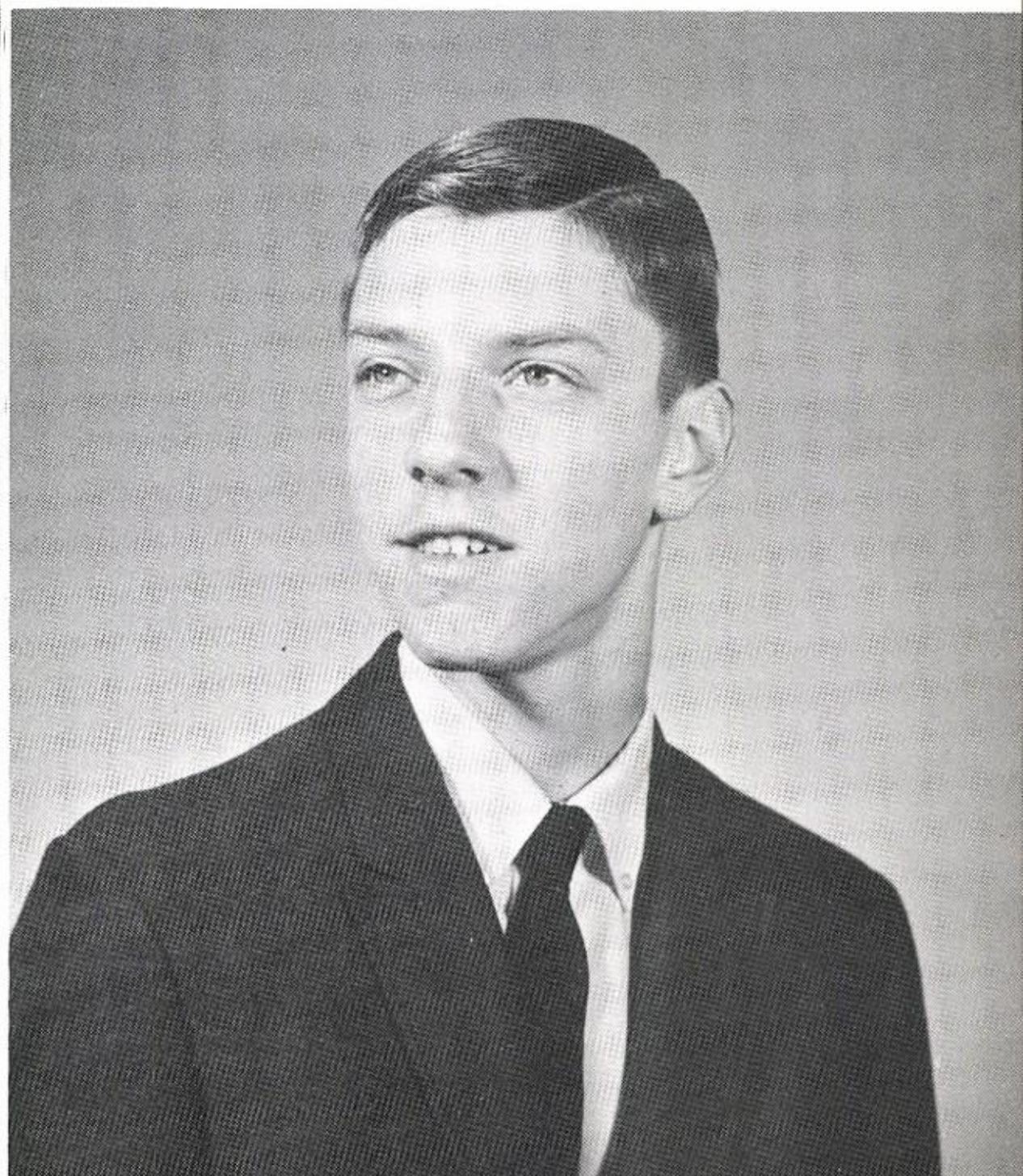
"For pete's sake Peggy, quit scooting

B.J.H.S. King

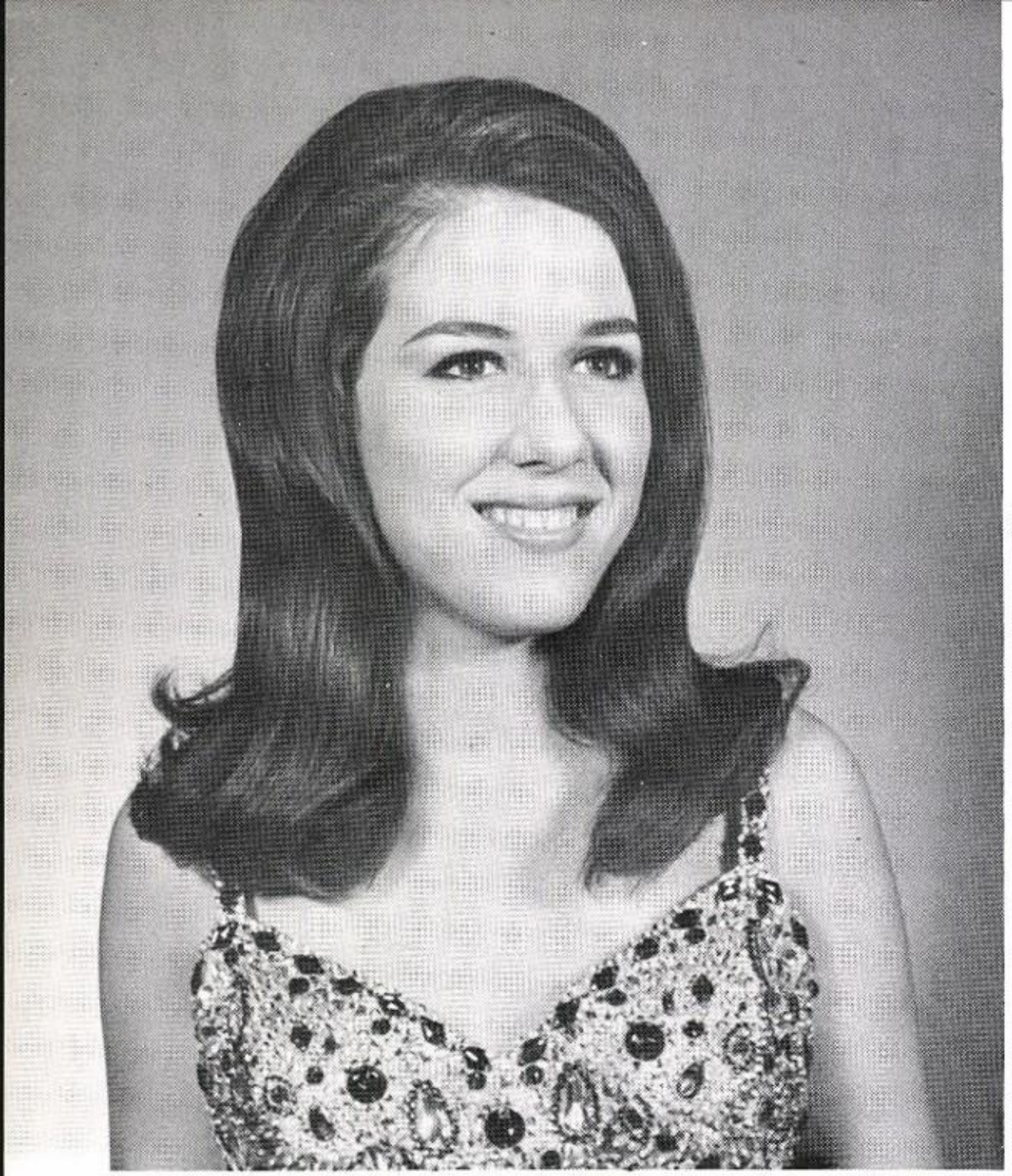
I have enjoyed Junior High School life. After a rewarding three years, I am looking forward to a profitable and exciting time in High School.

Steve Routh

away from me, I don't bite you know!"

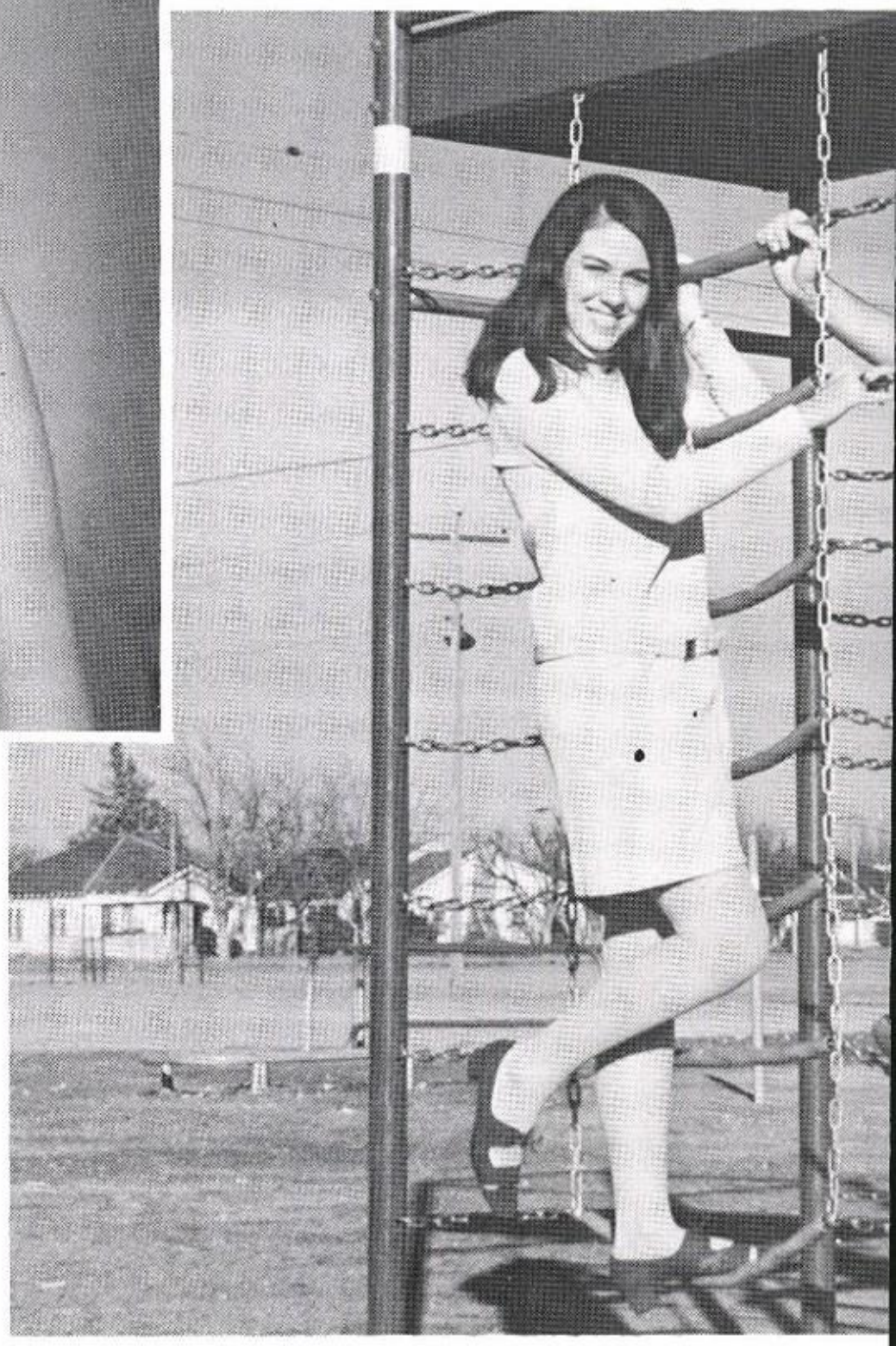


Most Beautiful



Kathy Dankworth

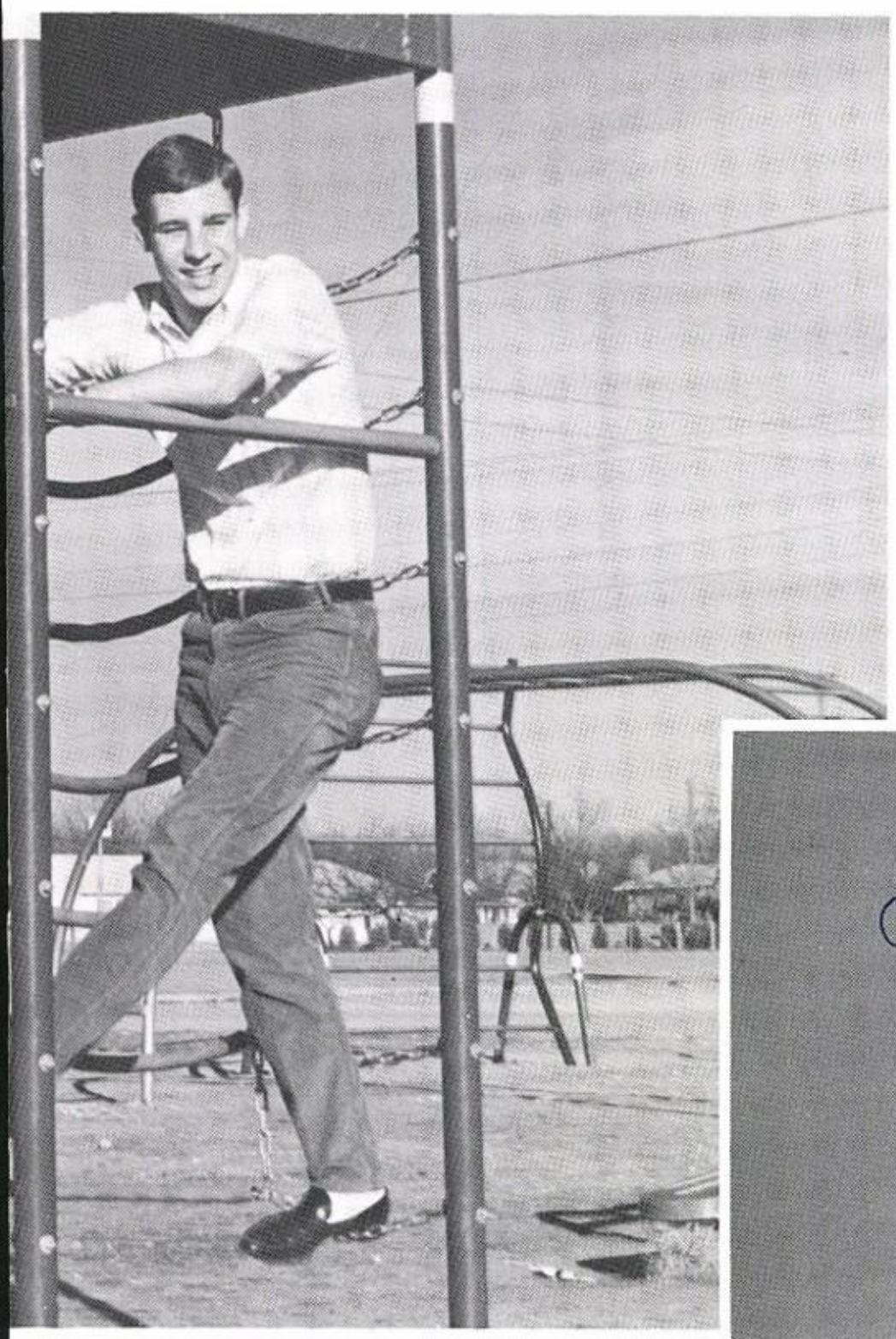
My being selected by the students of 1968 has made me appreciative and grateful.



"Ah, you Tarzan,

Most Handsome

Good luck in college and in your future years.
Bill

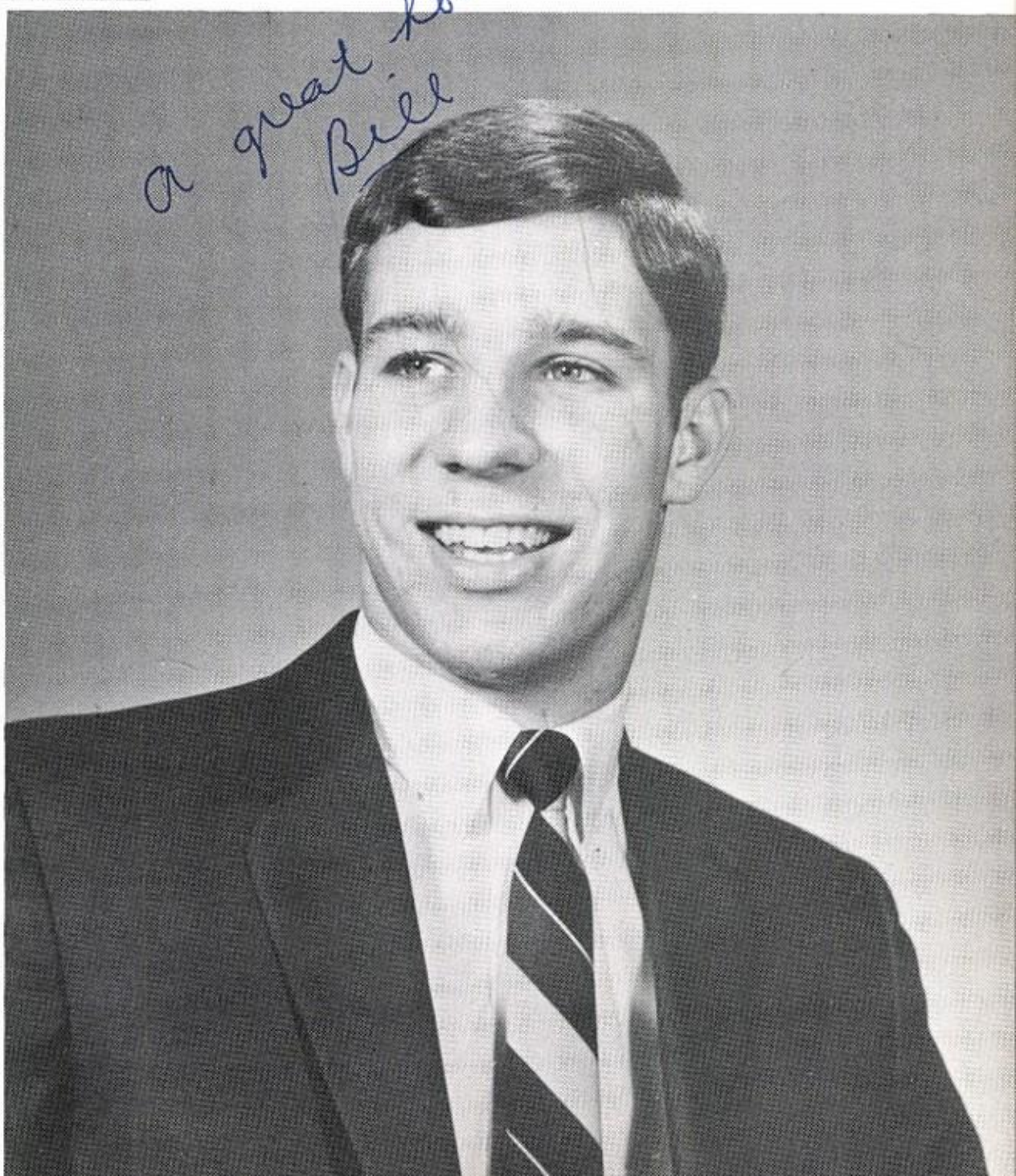


Me Jane!"

I would like to thank the students of Ballinger High School for this honor. I am honored to be a member of this senior class for I feel we have accomplished many objectives this past year.

Billy Hale

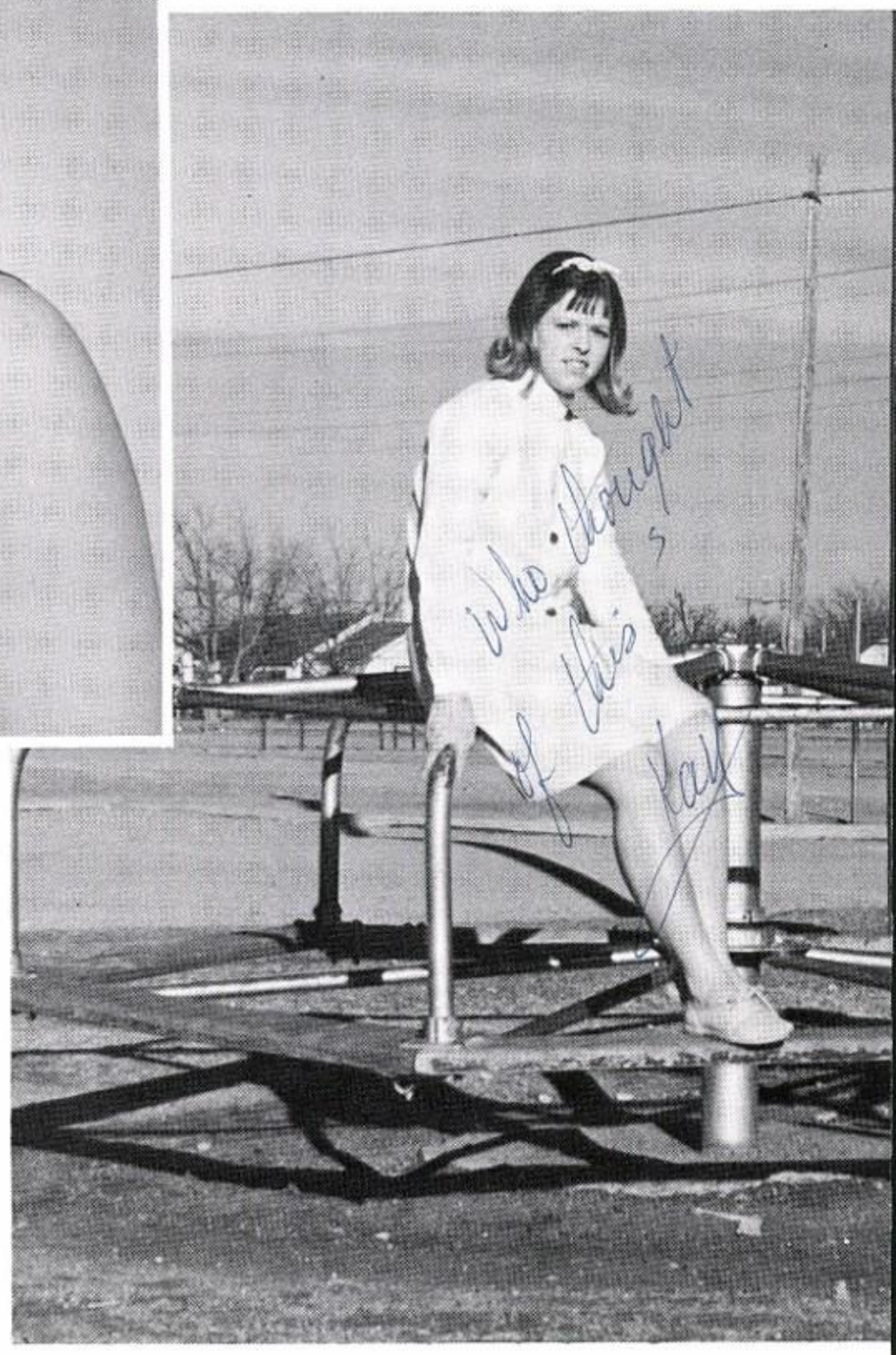
a great honor
Bill



Most Typical

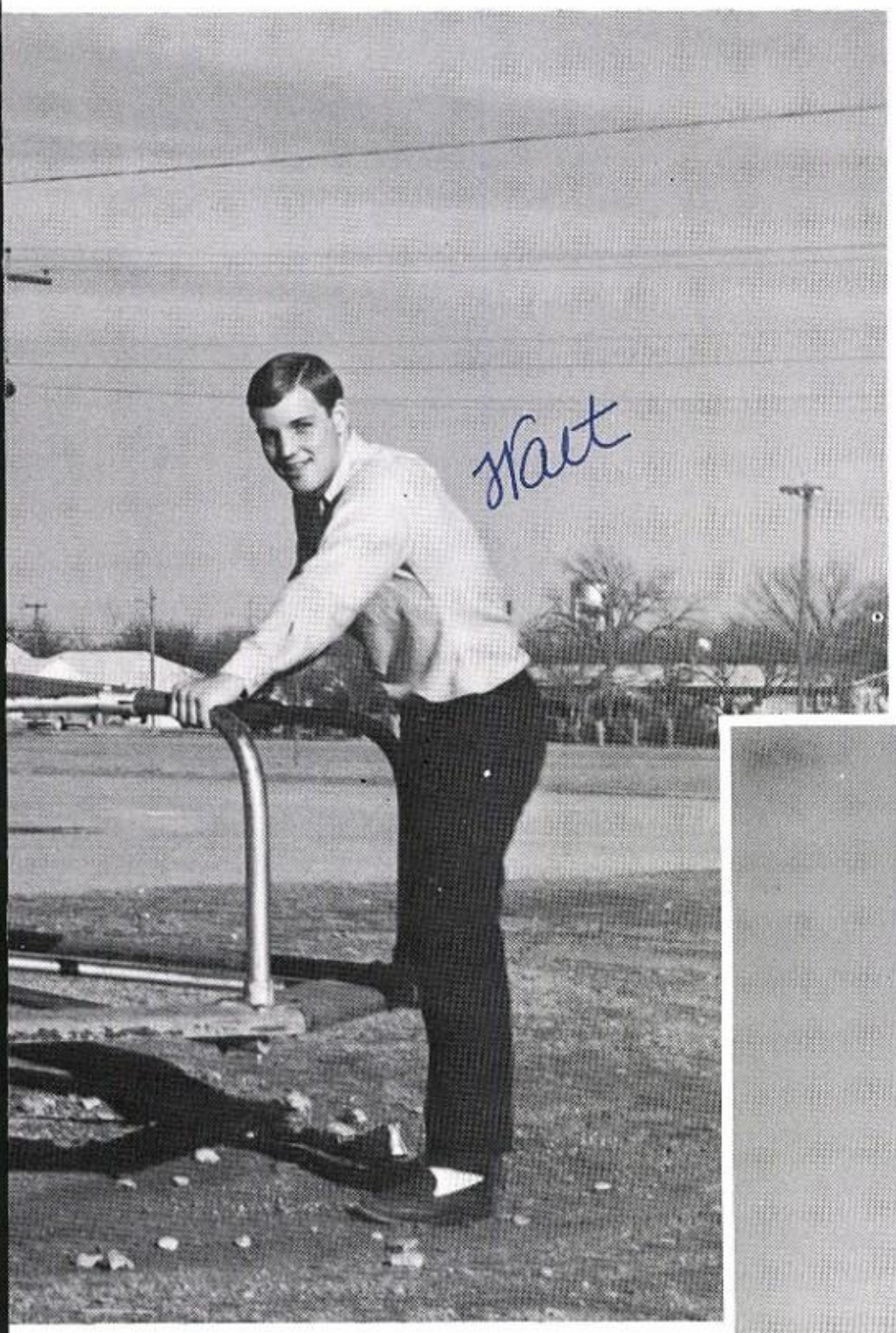
Kay Redman

The rewarding experience of being selected Most Typical is further increased by my realizing the qualities of the splendid student body whom I represent.



"Care to go for a little

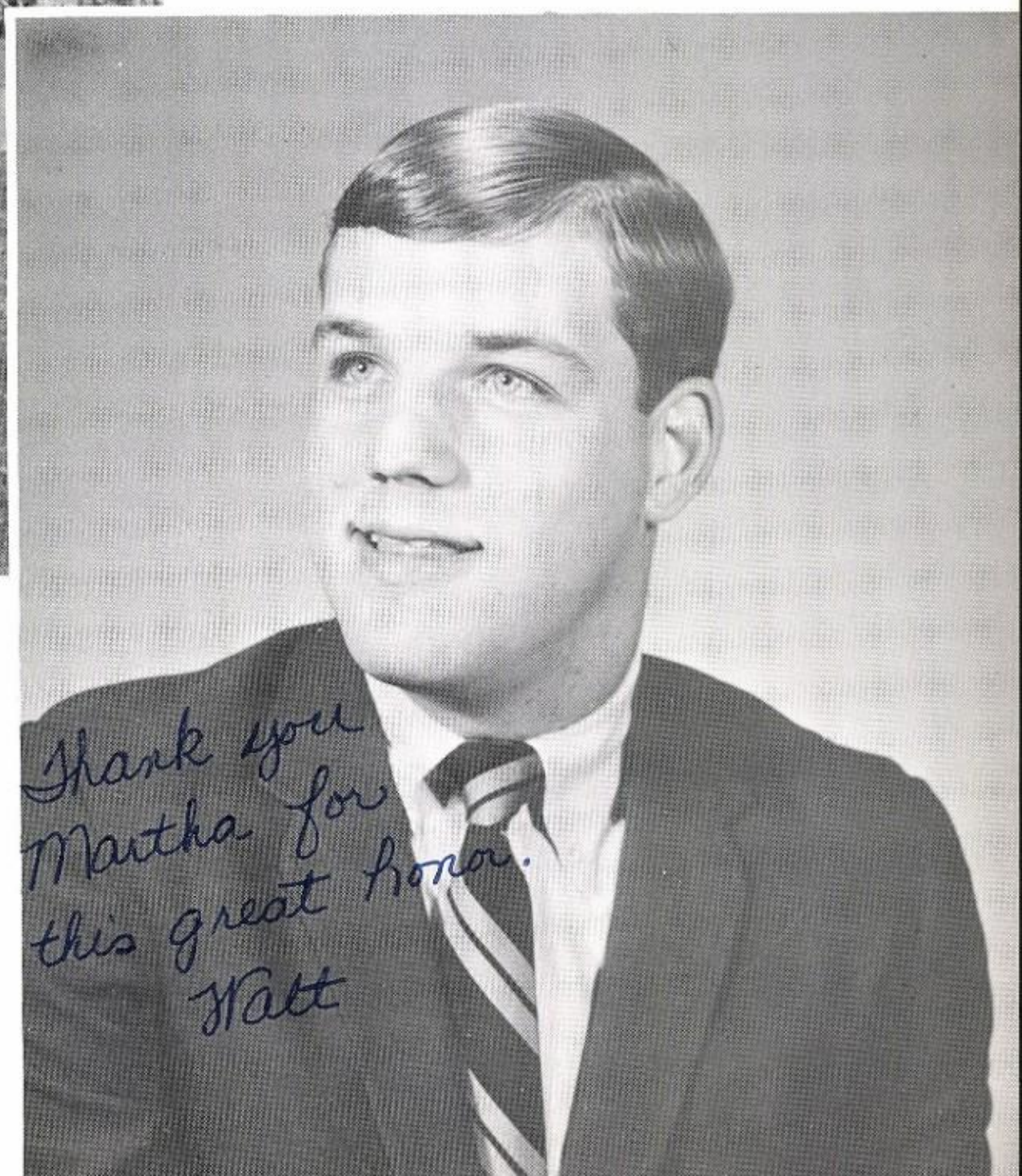
Most Typical



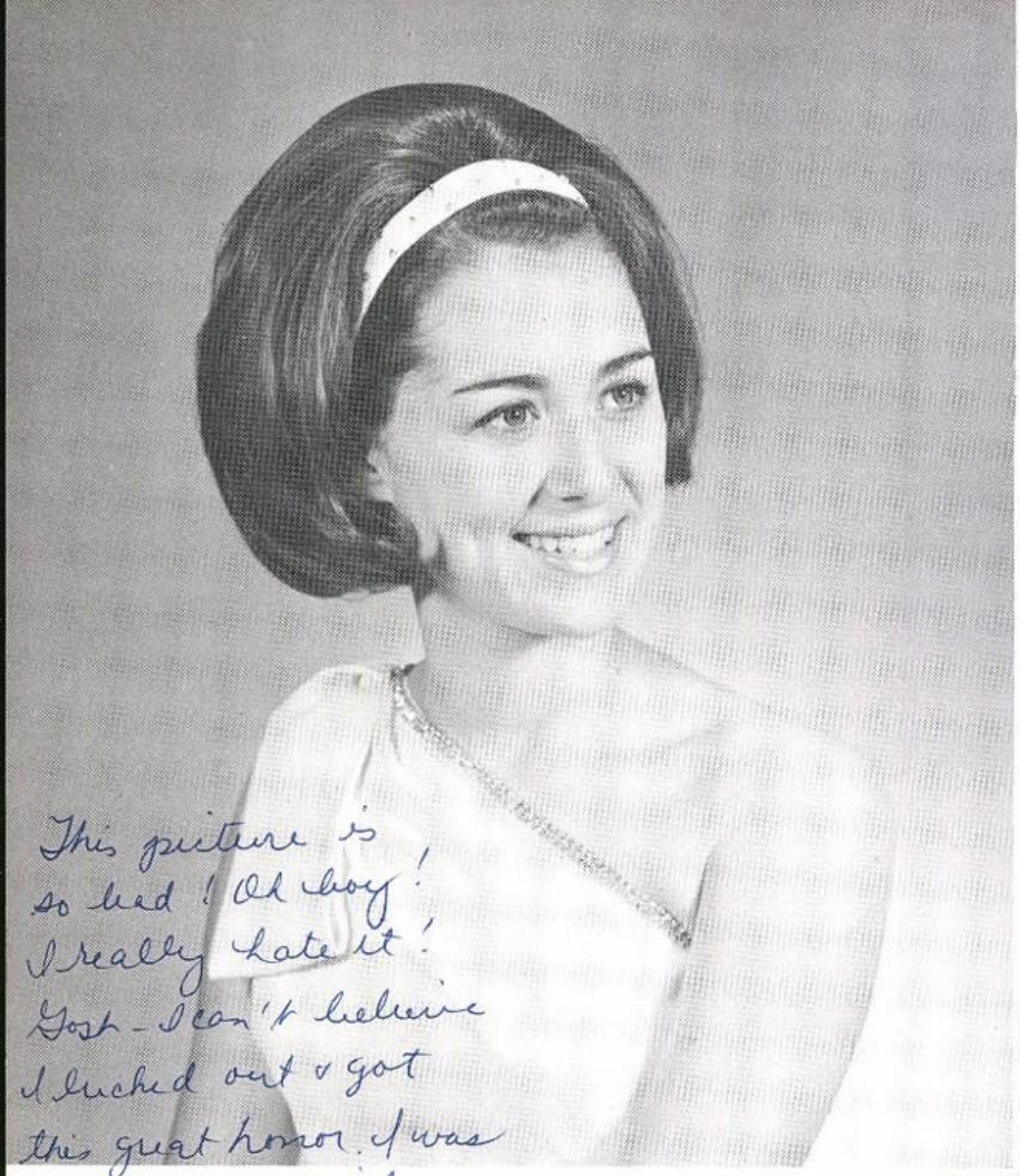
spin my dear?"

To represent my school as Most Typical boy is a special personal honor that I appreciate because it suggests my being a definite part of the spirit and life of B. H. S.

Walt Pehl

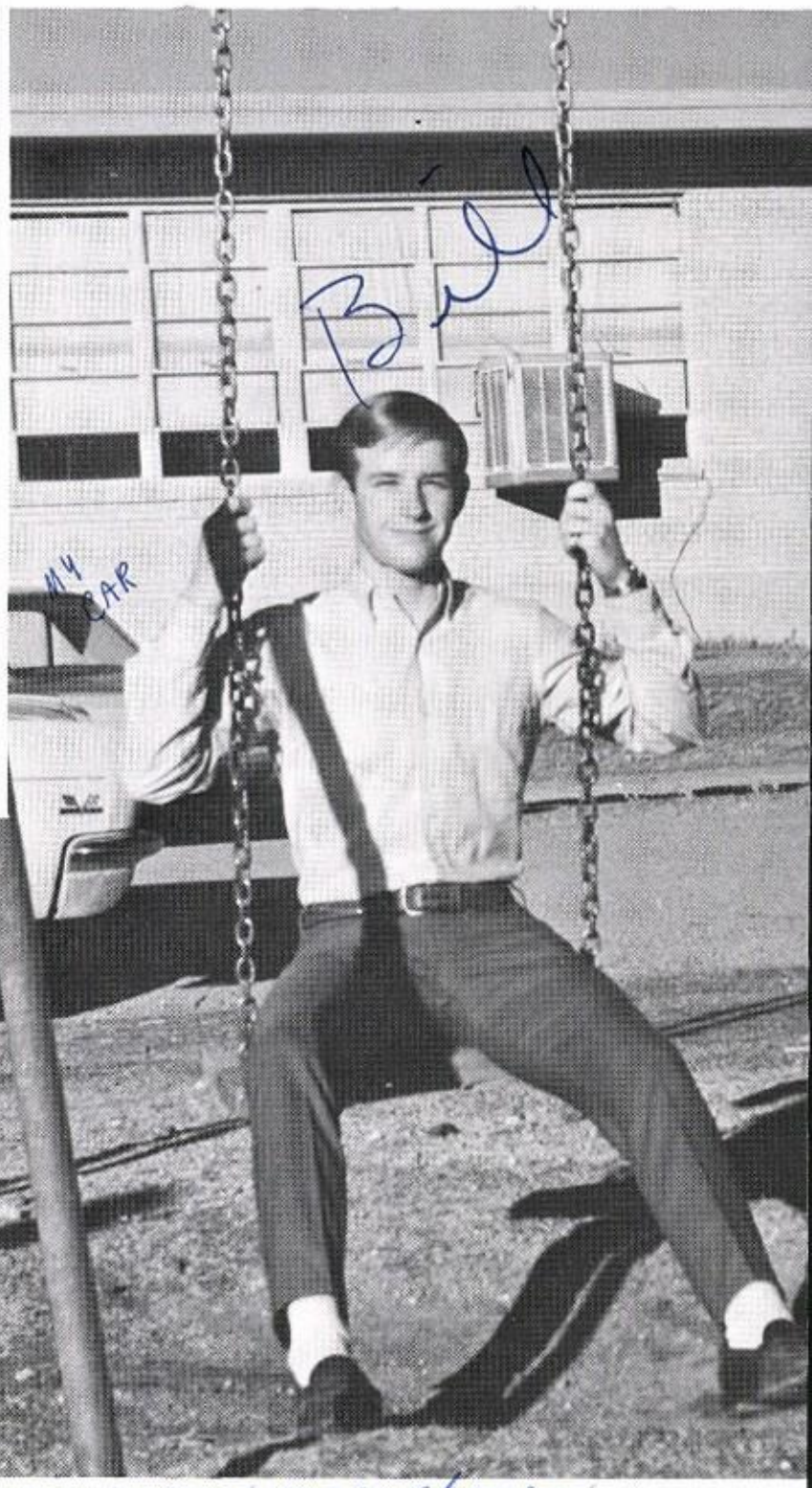


Miss Howdy



This picture is so bad! Oh boy! I really hate it! Gosh - I can't believe I lucked out & got this great honor. I was really surprised & I was really happy

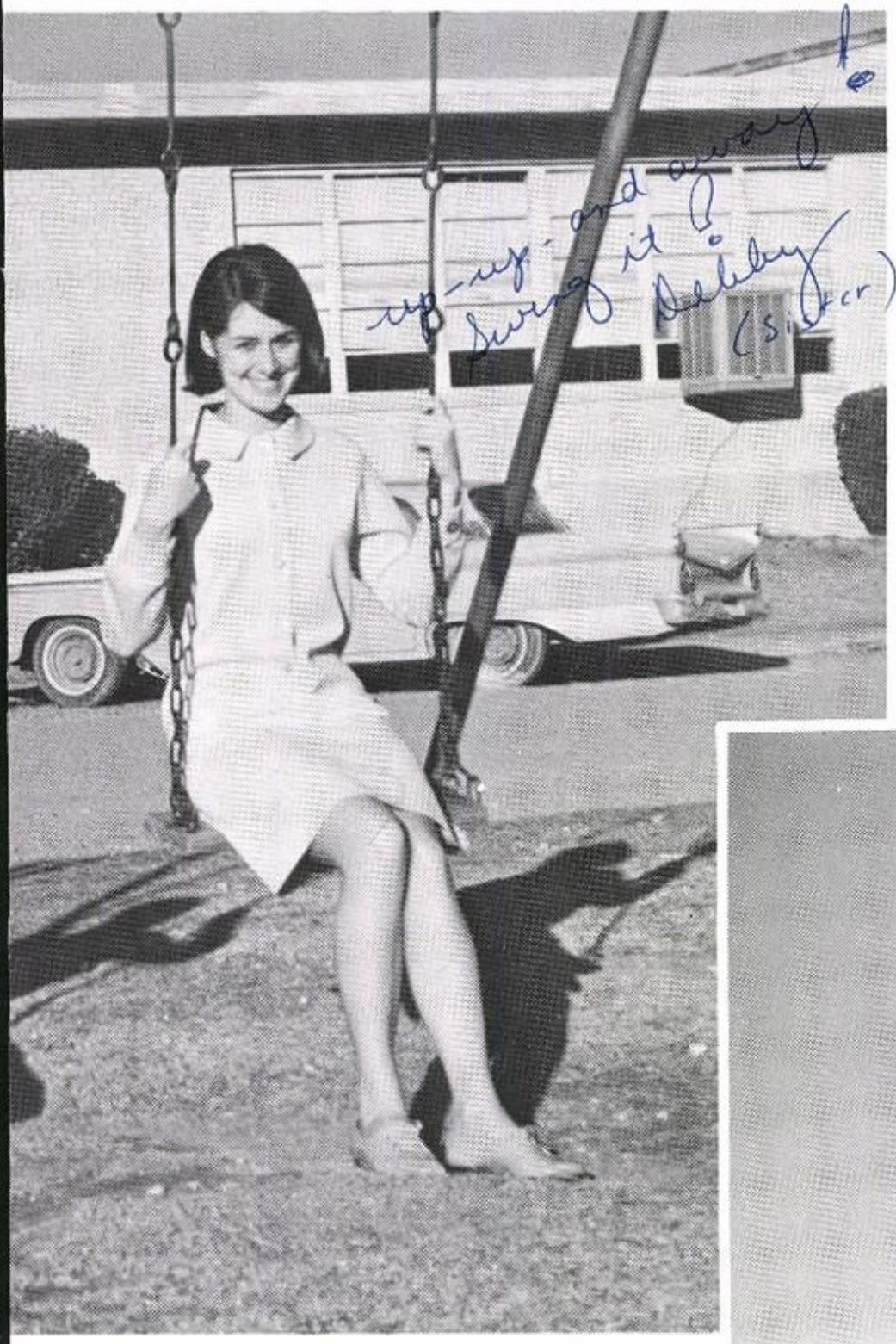
Debby Legg



Always I feel honored to greet Ballinger High School students, and truly I feel honored to be selected Miss Howdy by these same students. Thanks! too! Thanks for helping make it possible! I'll never forget this cause it meant so much to me! I really strived for it! Hope I did live up to this title. I really tried! Hope this choice was the one you wanted! I'll never forget our great trip to Lubbock. I've never laughed so hard! Remember our paper cups & megaphones and all our "E-E's"! That was fun! Remember mom & dad and I bet they really do end up getting married & they'll lea us out in the cold! HA! I'll never forget Sammy Mc Millan's house as long as I live! That was different! Thanks for coming to me about Andy - I felt so helpless but I was so happy you came to me! Gosh - gee thanks! That meant alot! And I'll never forget who you said you'd want to be with when people got hurt - you said me if Andy ever did! I meant so much to me! I've never known you good title this year & you can't know how much I think of you. I always thought you thoug I was a queer (probably do!) but I hope not. Gosh - I'll love you forever & e I never forget you (& Andy!) Have fun at A.S.C. next year! Best wishes! Love, Debby (Sis)

Personally, I just adore to

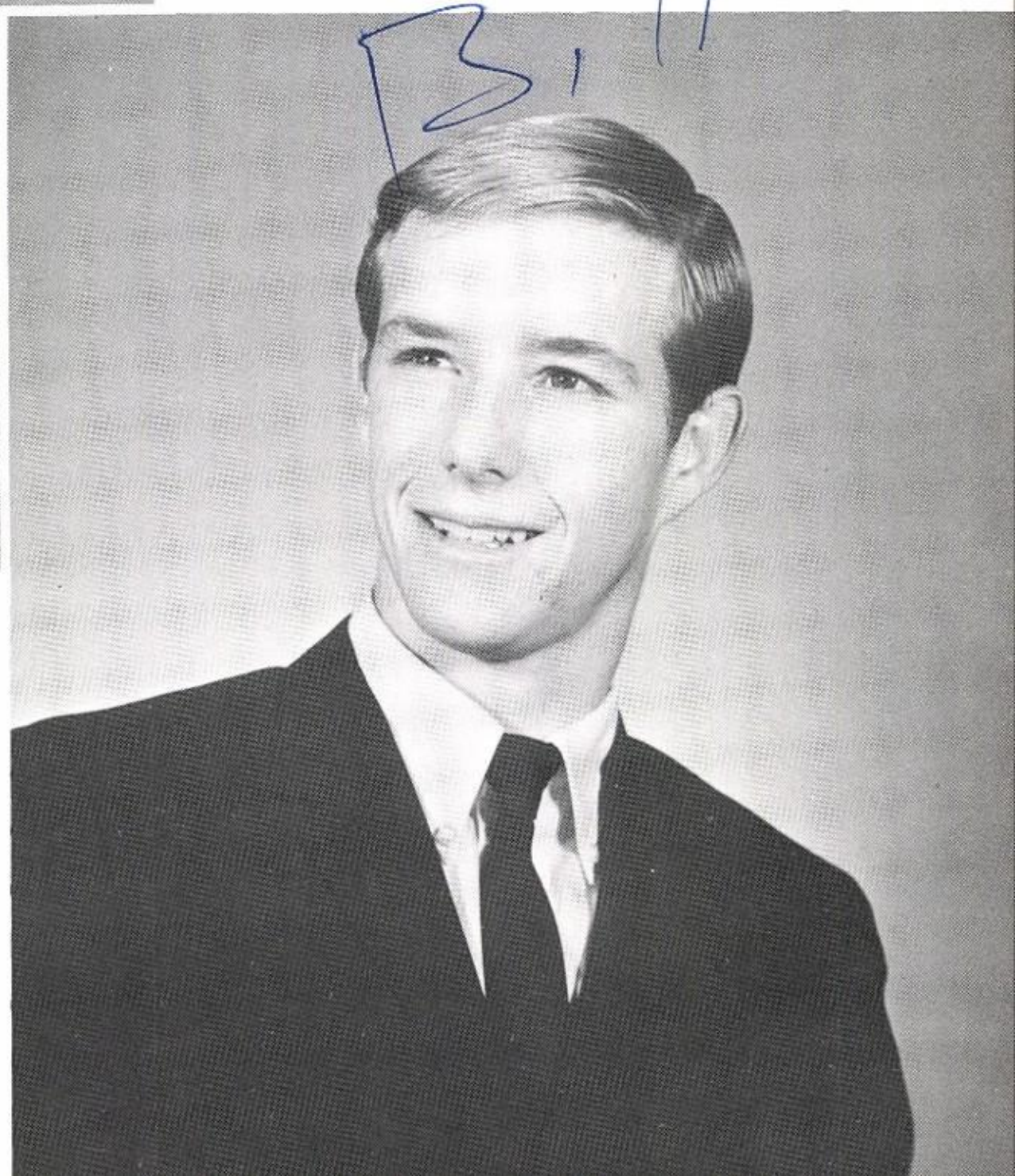
Mr. Howdy



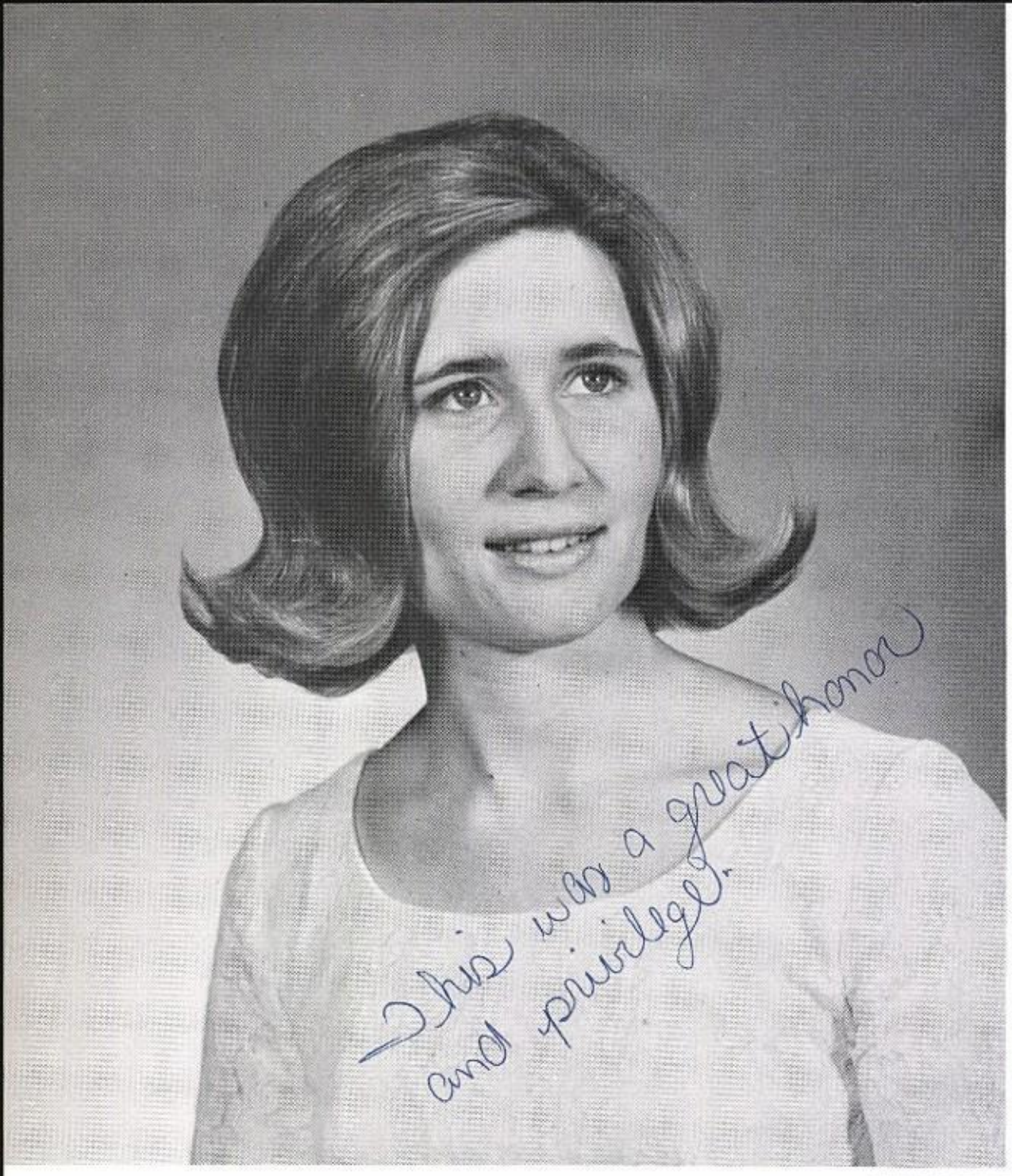
swing!"

It is a privilege to be friendly with all the students of Ballinger High School and I would like to thank these students for choosing me as "Mr. Howdy."

Bill Middleton



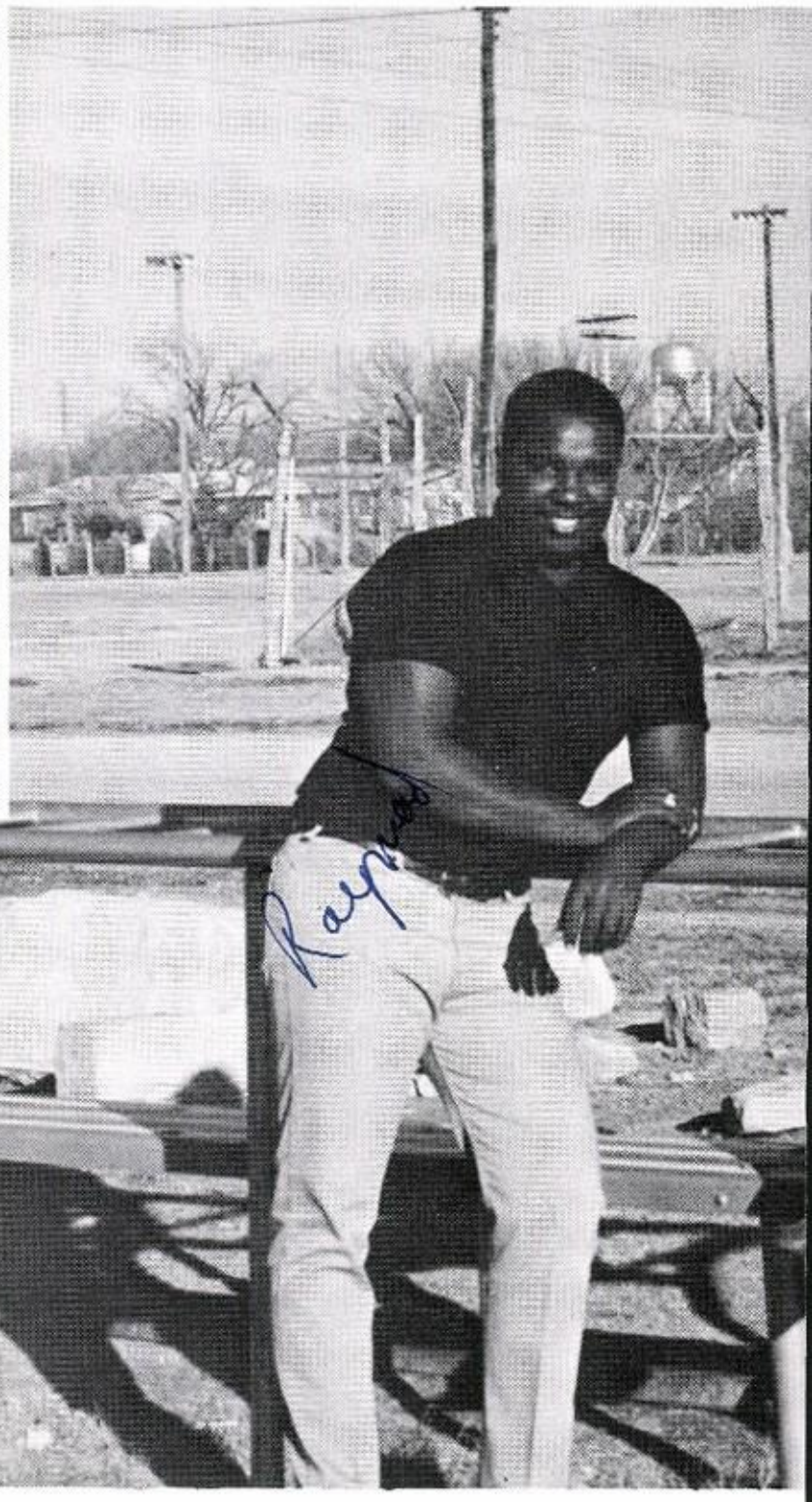
Best in a Crowd
F.F.A. Sweetheart



Linda Buxkemper

Being F.F.A. Sweetheart is an honor that I regard in great esteem and recognize as a great privilege.

Best Girl in a Crowd - that title creates a warm feeling of gratitude to all the students who make being in a crowd a real joy.



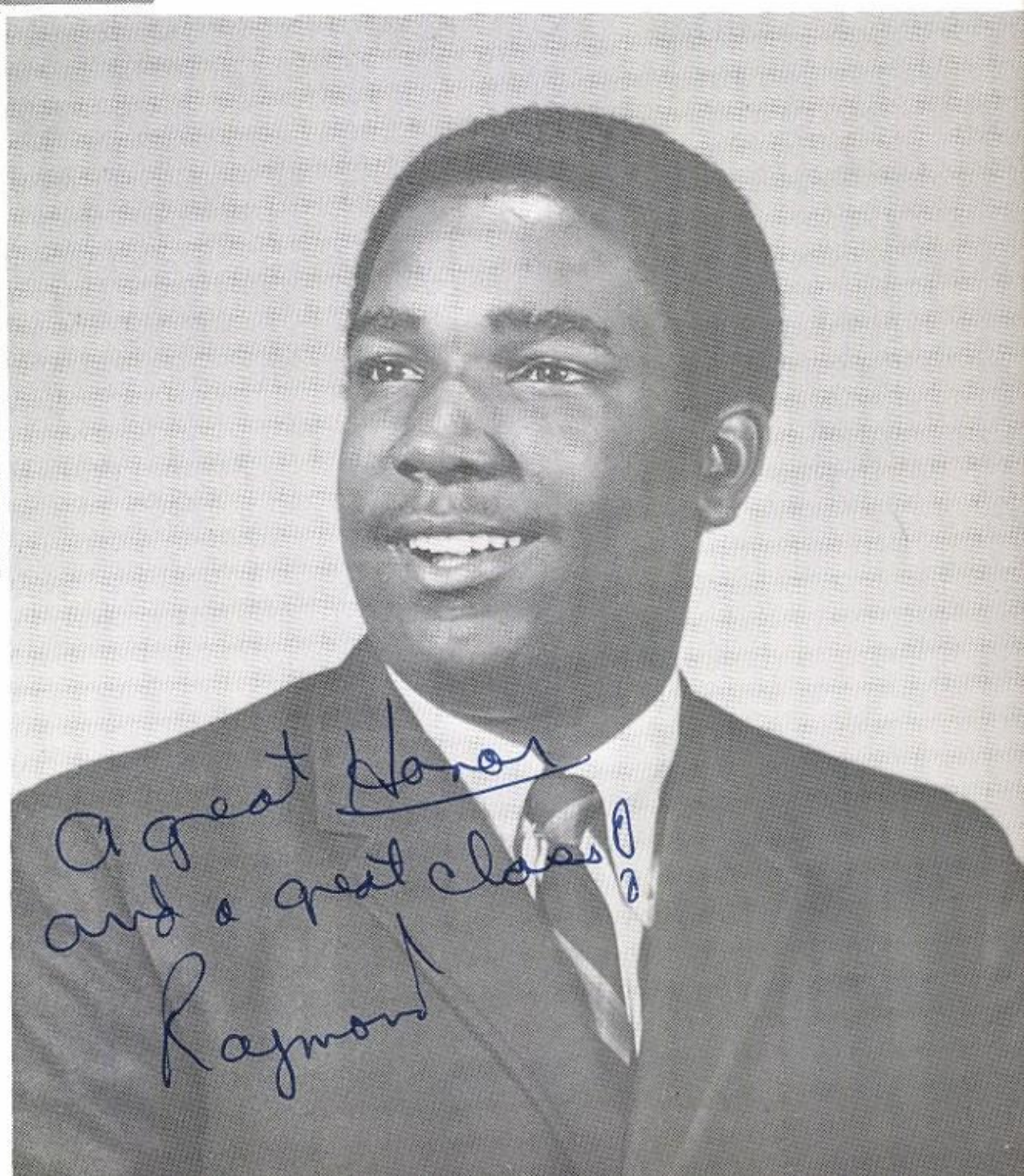
"Hey Raymond, I wish I could stand up like you,

Best in a Crowd

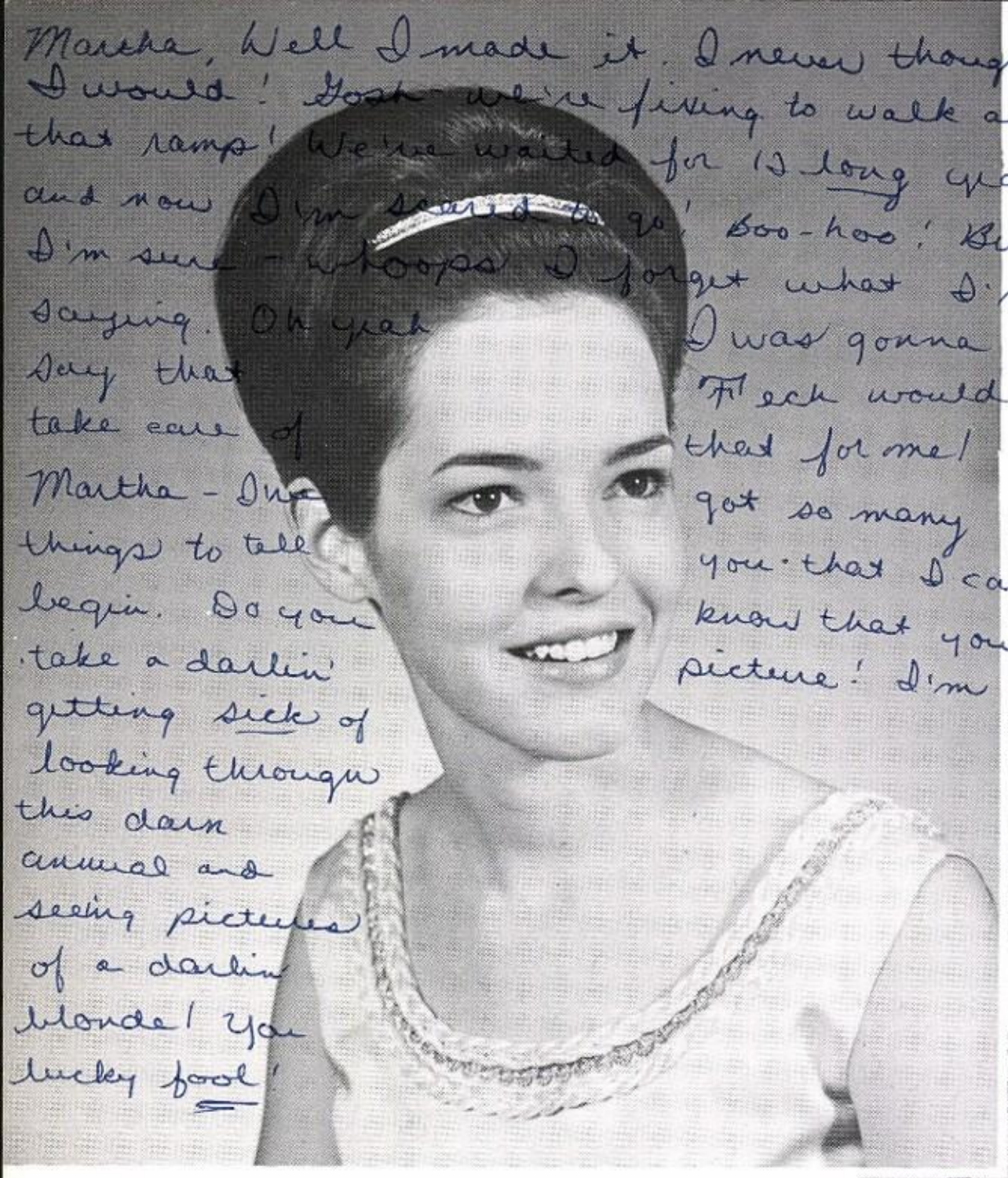
I think I'm going to fall any minute."

It is fun to associate with students of Ballinger High School. They bring out the best nature in everyone. I really appreciate being elected to the honor of Best Boy In A Crowd.

Raymond Hubbard



Miss B.H.S.
Football Sweetheart



Martha, Well I made it. I never thought I would! Gosh - we're fixing to walk across that ramp! We've waited for 12 long years and now I'm sorta sad to go! Boo-hoo! But I'm sure - whoops I forgot what I'm saying. Oh yeah I was gonna say that I'll ask would take care of that for me! Martha - I've got so many things to tell you - that I can't begin. Do you know that you take a darlin' picture! I'm getting sick of looking through this darn annual and seeing pictures of a darlin' blonde! You lucky fool!

Julia Jones

It would be impossible to tell all the happy experiences of my senior year and even more impossible to relate many unhappy ones, but the two that are mentioned here are certainly two of the "bestest." Miss B. H. S. represents to me all the things I love about this old red brick building - my association with some champion coaches, the red and black, the tradition, and most of all the Bearcats. Even though I could never surpass Raymond Hubbard as football sweetheart, to have represented the 1967 Bearcats as their football sweetheart is one of the greatest privileges imaginable. Thank you!

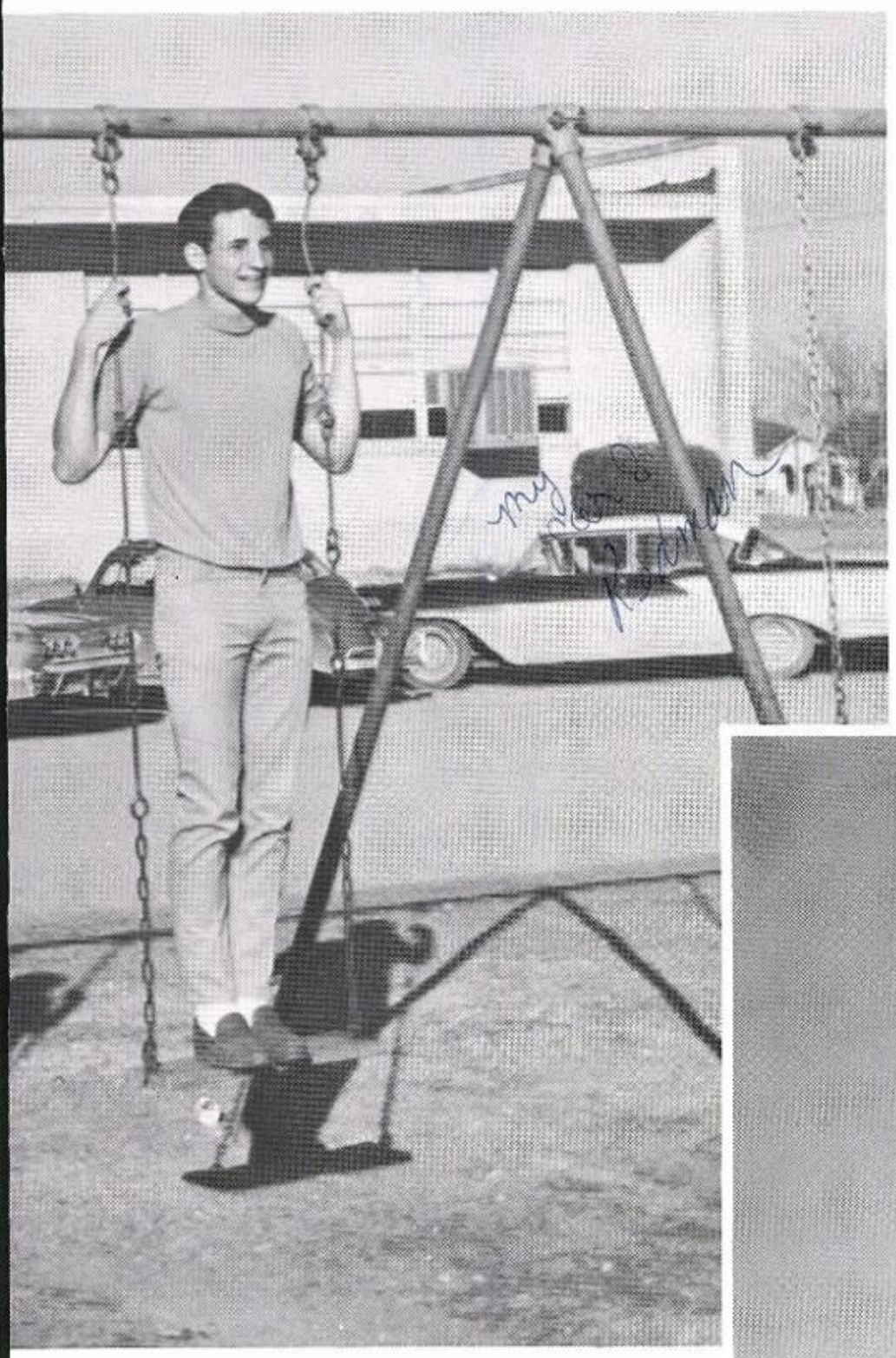
"You may think this looks funny, but what do you get you date that will drive you CRAZY! OK. (a little bribe there!)

I love you!

Julia

I can't believe we've already been through the Senior Trip! It was so much more fun than I ever expected! Now that I look back on my whole year, I'm so grateful! It hasn't been half as bad as I made it out! Martha, good luck at ASC next year! I bet you're engaged at least your second semester! You lucky kid. Hey, if you ever come up to Lubbock, PLEASE call me and stay with me! I'll

Mr. B.H.S.

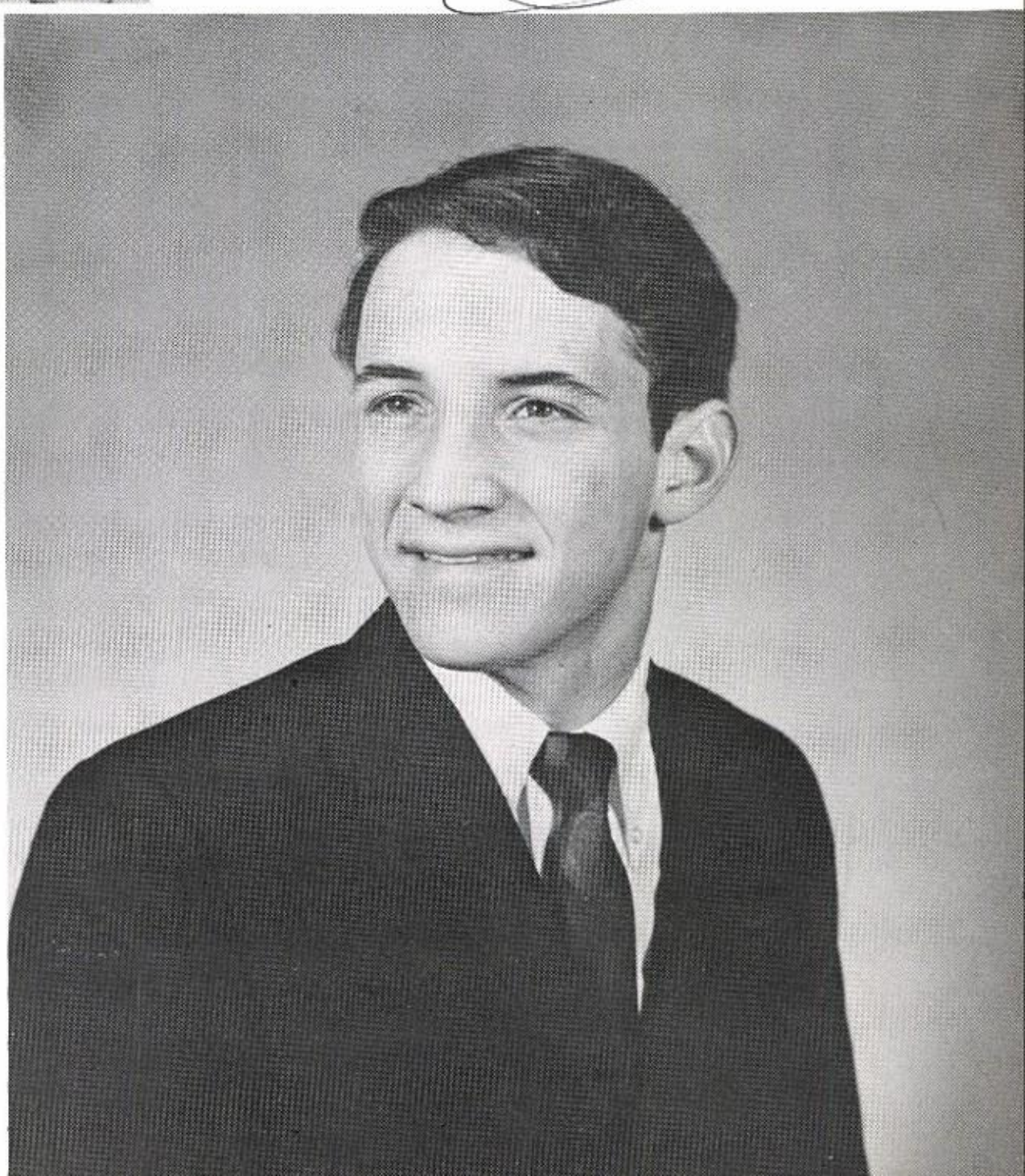


you think this is doing to our images?"

Martha,
Thank you for helping to make this wonderful honor possible for me. I'll always be proud of it.

To be selected as Mr. B. H. S. is a special honor that is personally appreciated, because the title is associated with the famed Bearcat spirit and with a splendid student body.

Ted Sykes



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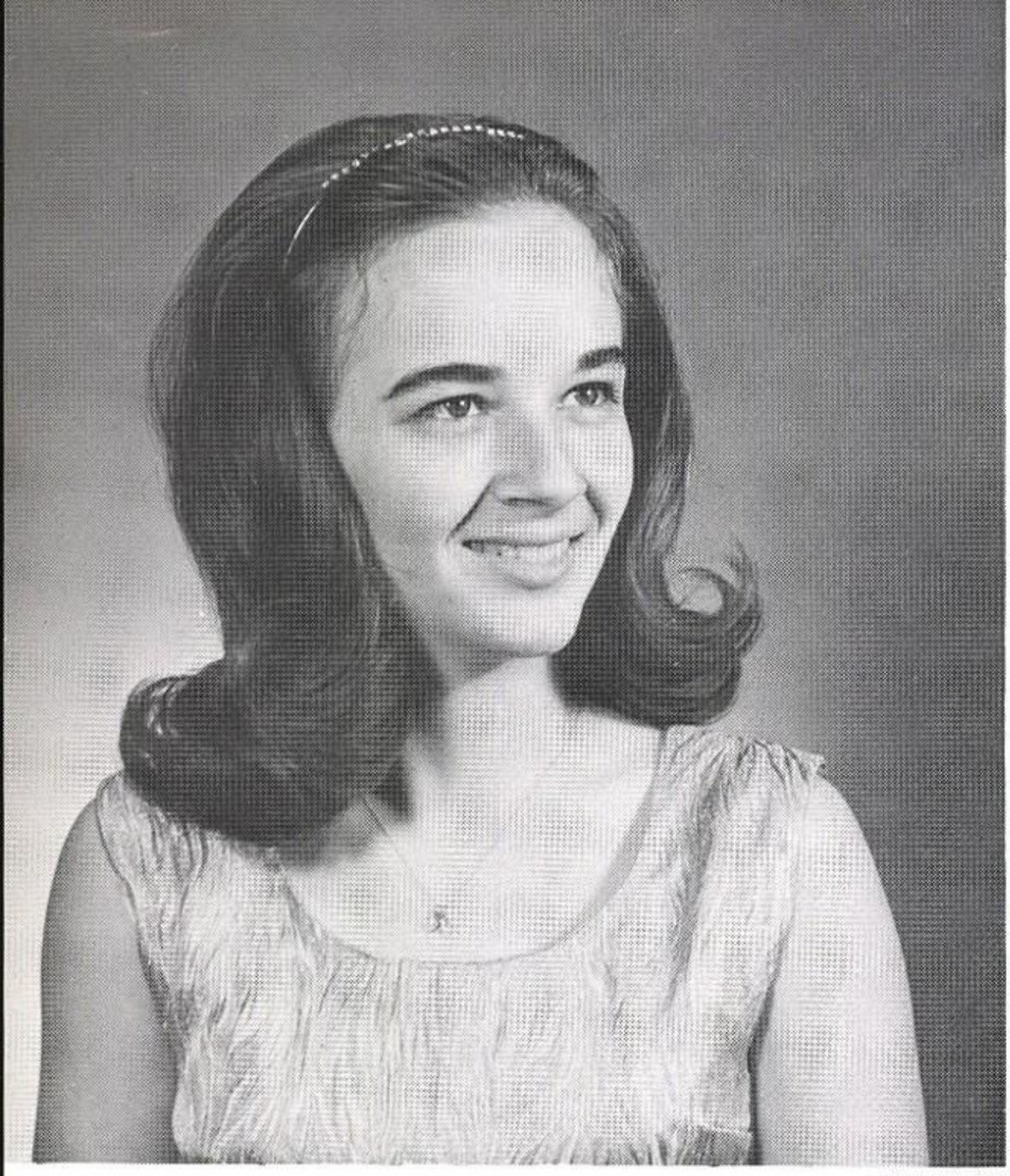
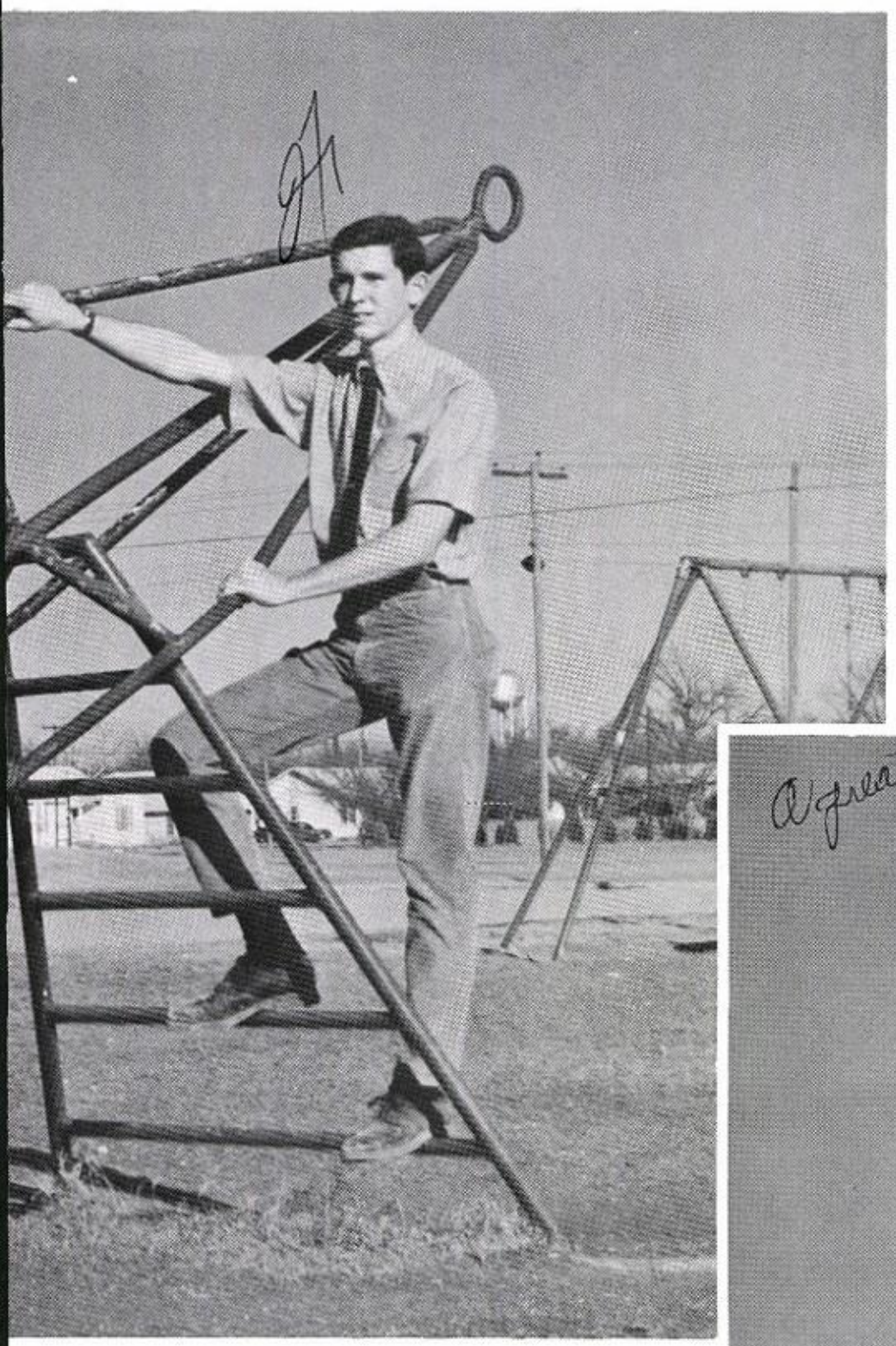


Telena Burk

The demands of this honor shall always remain a challenge to me, and I shall always be grateful to those who allowed me to receive it.

"Fly me to the

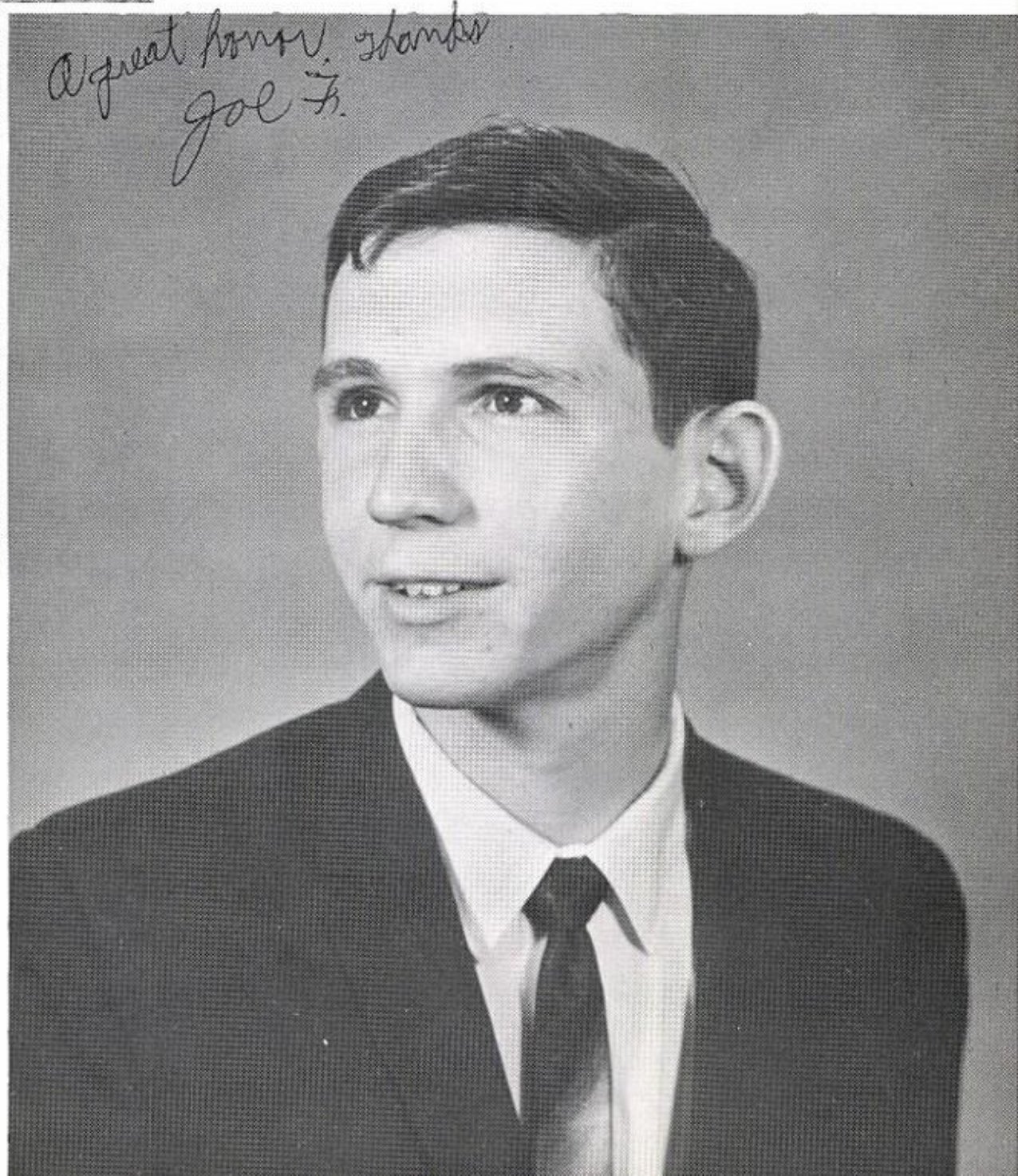
Most Likely to Succeed



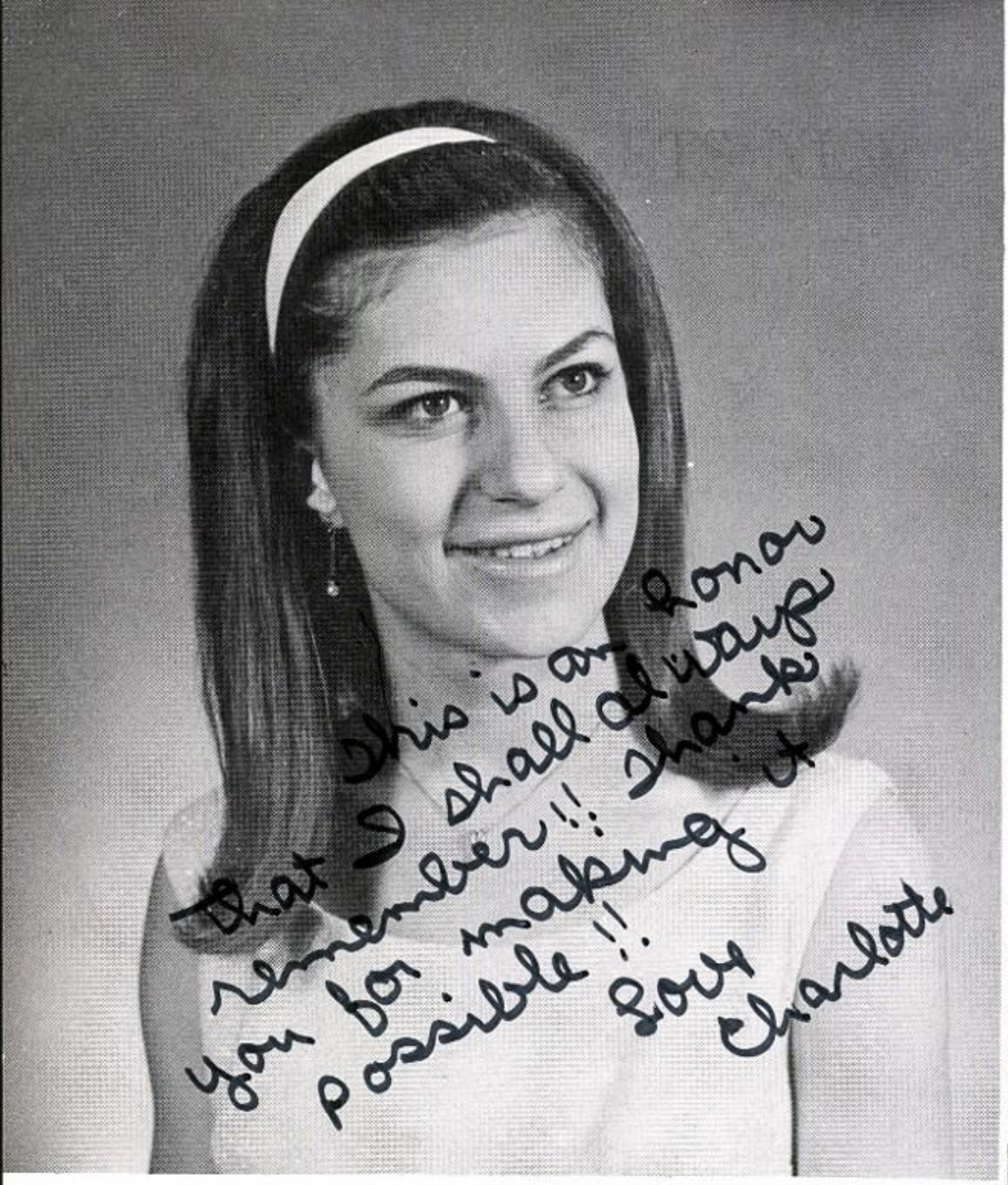
moon!"

This is a very great honor and I thank all my classmates for it. In a way it is a difficult honor to receive because it must be lived up to. Again, Thank you.

Joe Fowler



Band Sweetheart

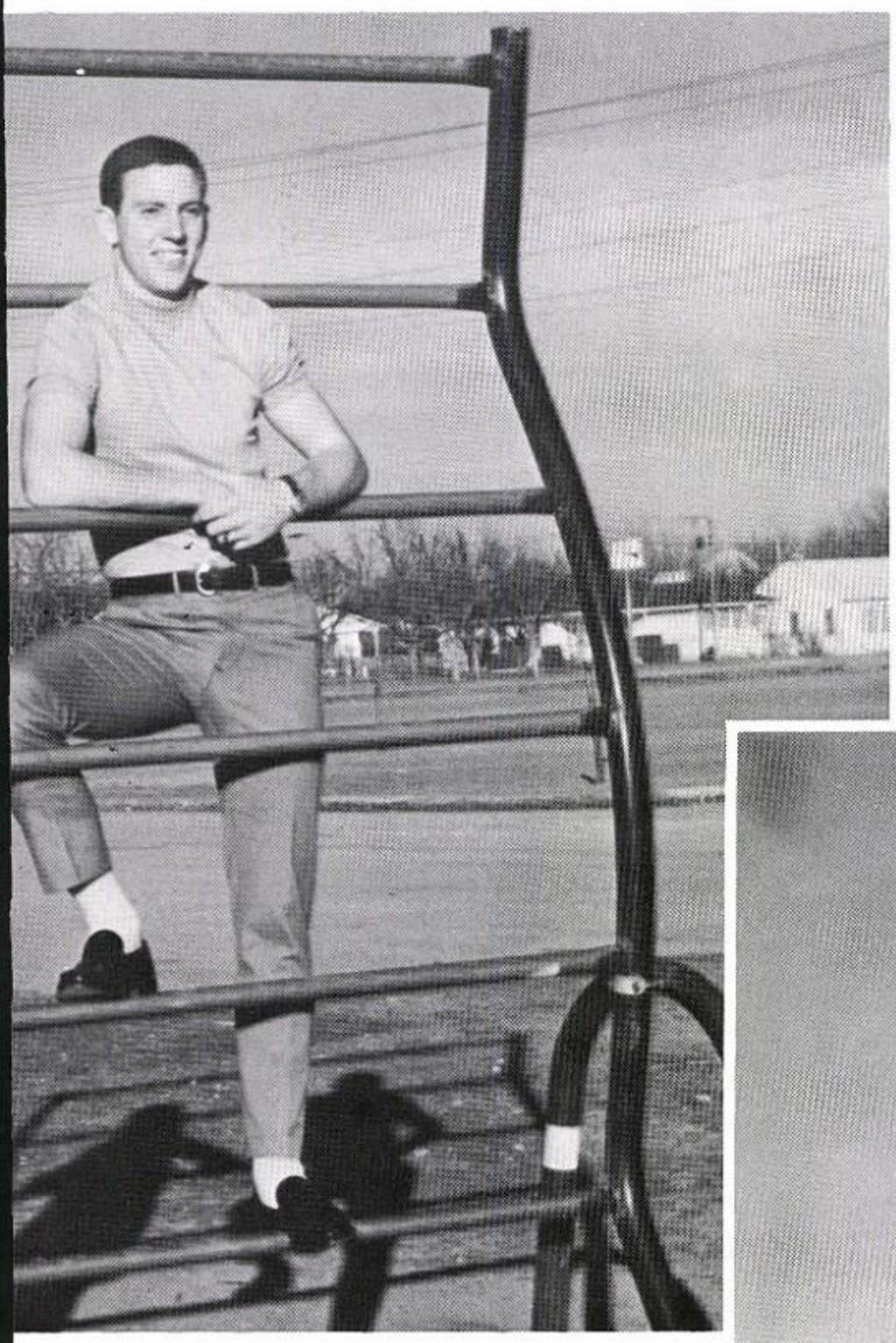


Charlotte Hallmark

I will cherish the honor of representing the Ballinger Bearcat Band as Band Sweetheart. I wish to thank the members of the band for selecting me to represent the B. H. S. Band.

"Onward and upward - I always say!"

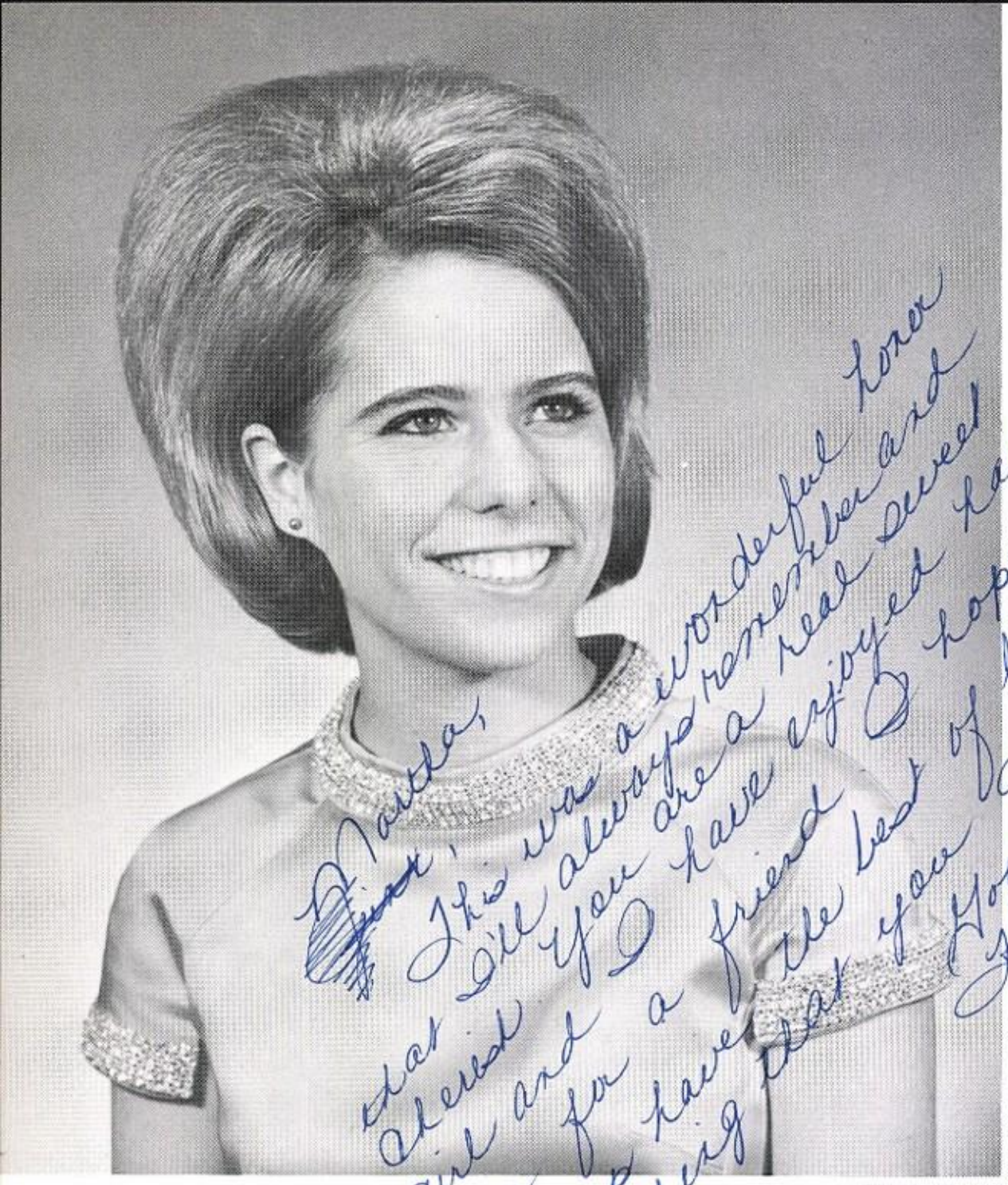
Most Athletic



To the students, the coaches, and the athletic program of Ballinger High School, I am grateful for the opportunity to be chosen "Most Athletic."

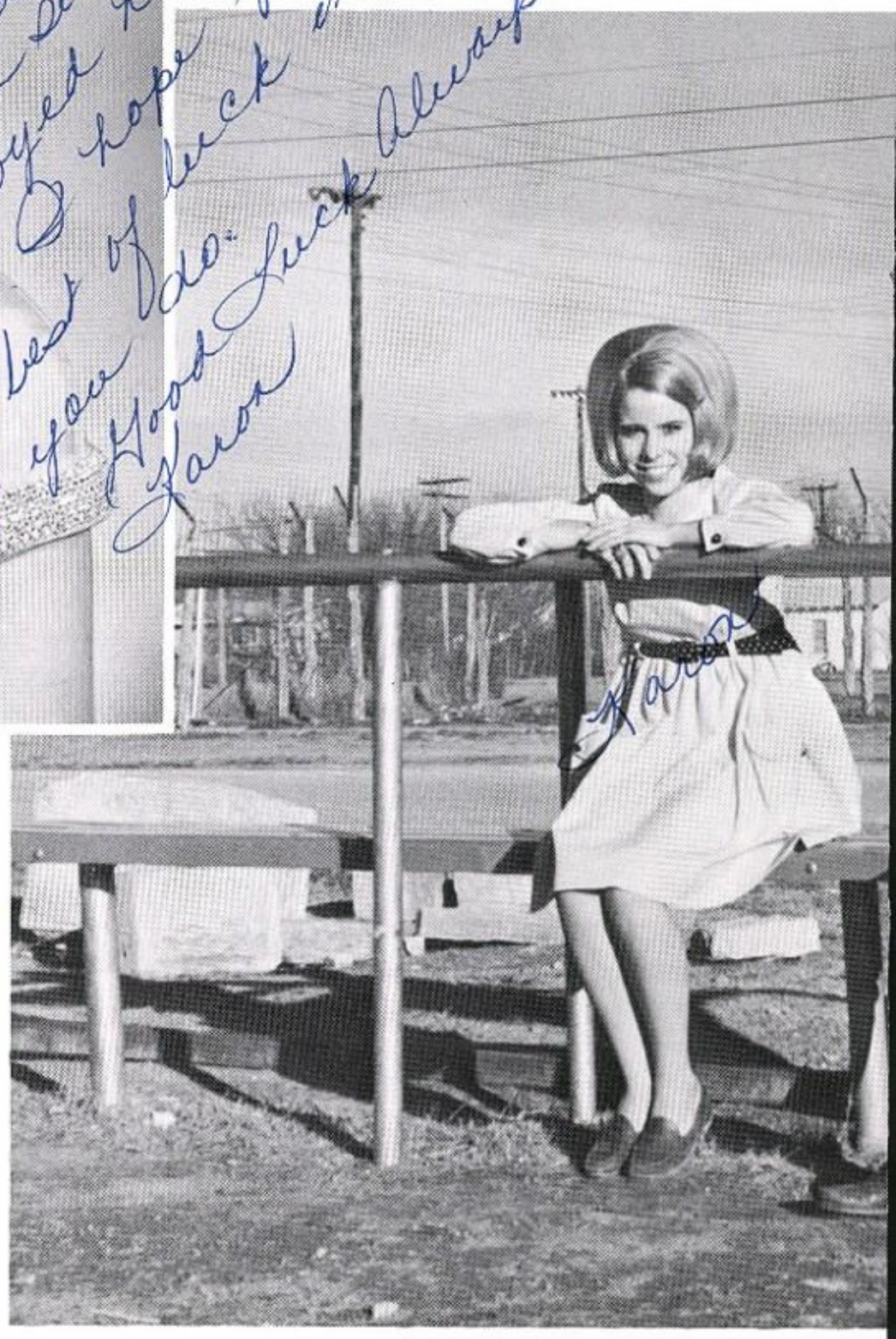
Sammy McLarty

Industrial Arts Sweetheart



Karon Simmons

I would like to thank the Industrial Arts Club for selecting me to be their "Sweetheart." It was a wonderful honor that I will always remember.



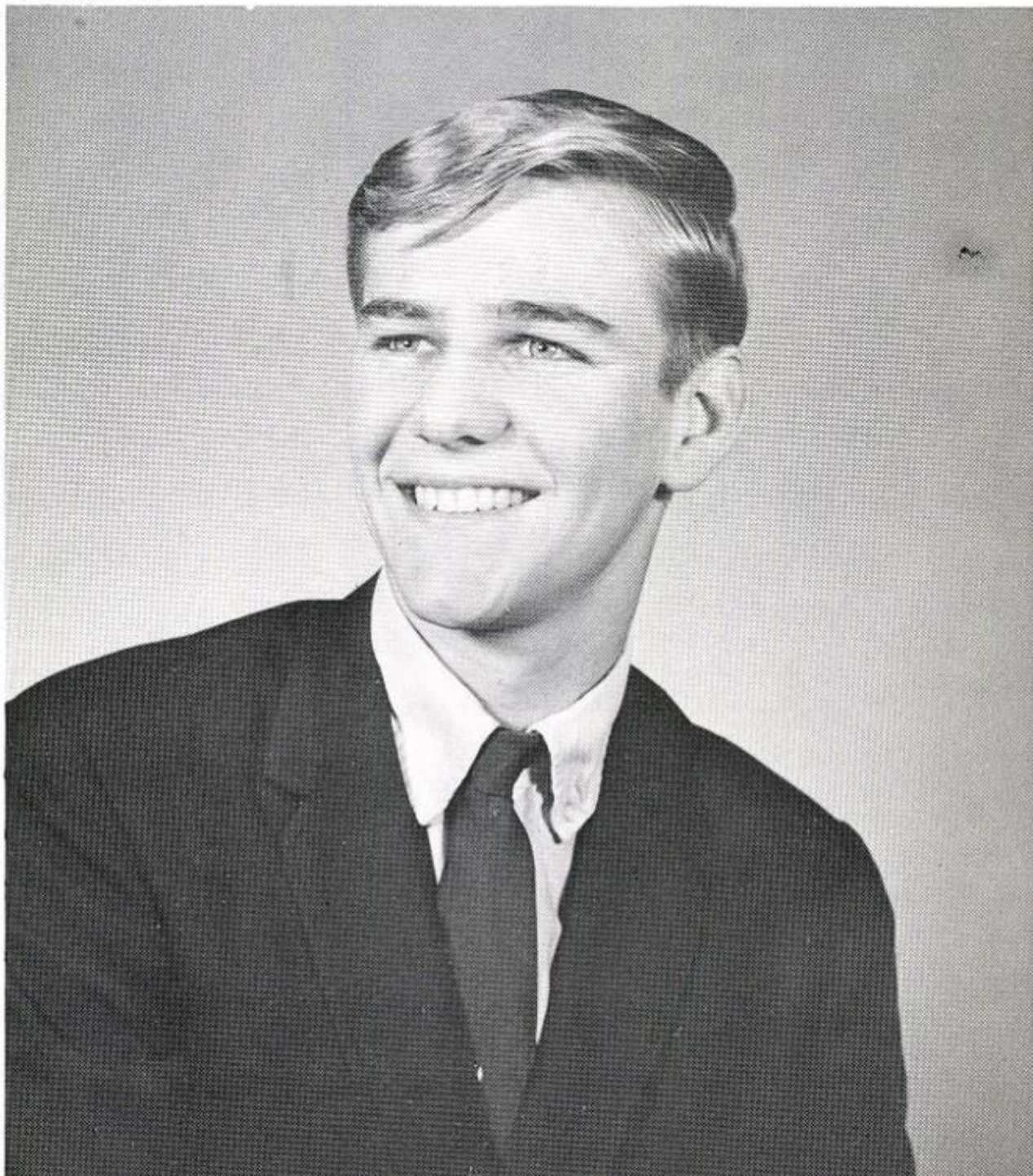
"No, we aren't going to play catch with you

F.H.A. Prince

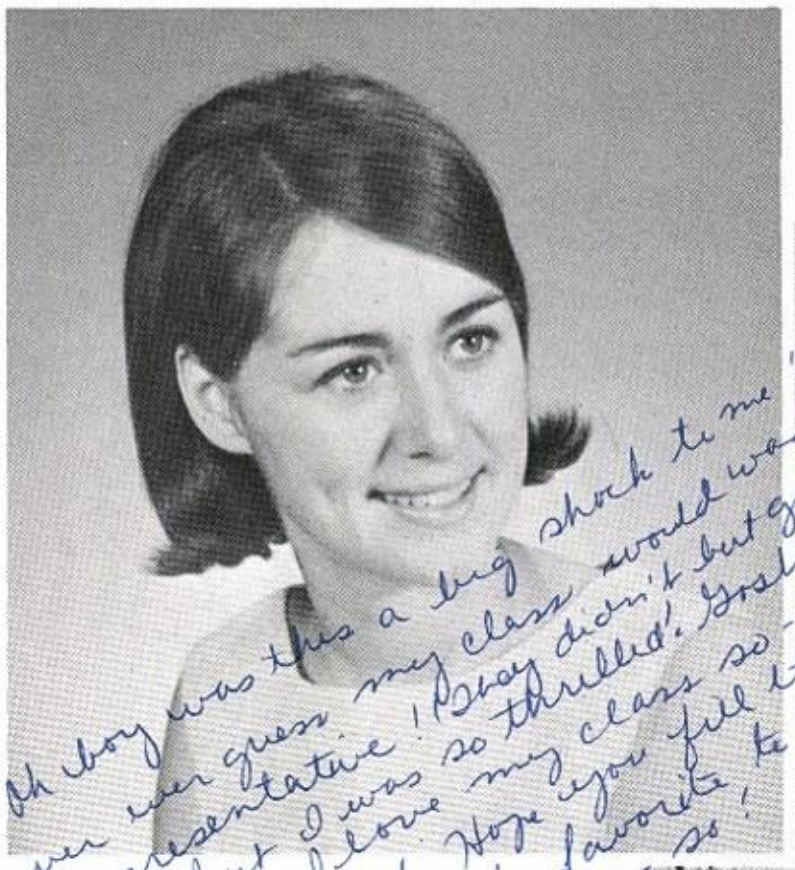
so forget it, O.K.?"

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the students who selected me for this honor. It has made my senior year more complete. I have enjoyed attending B.H.S. for the past twelve years.

Steve Cook



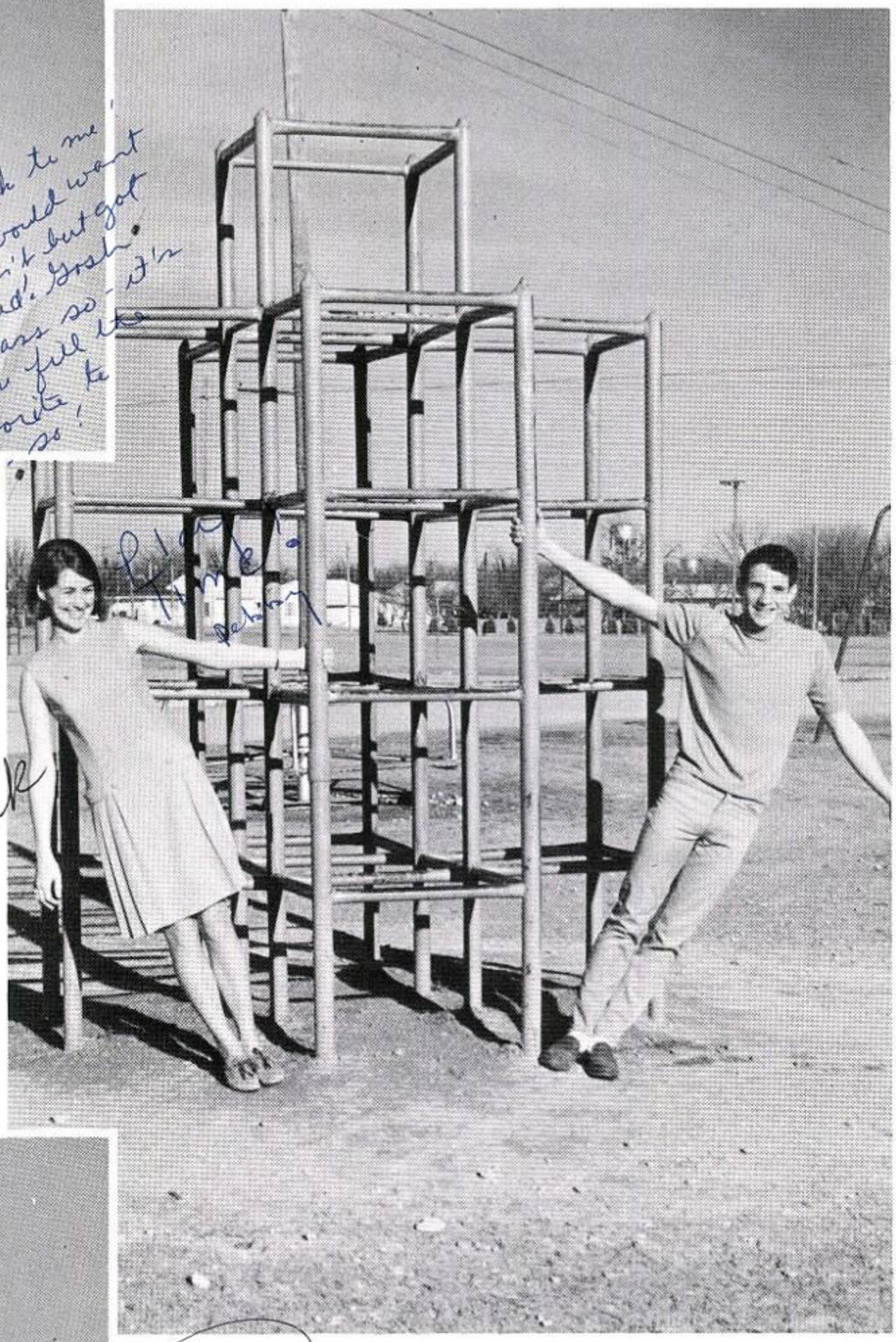
Senior Favorites



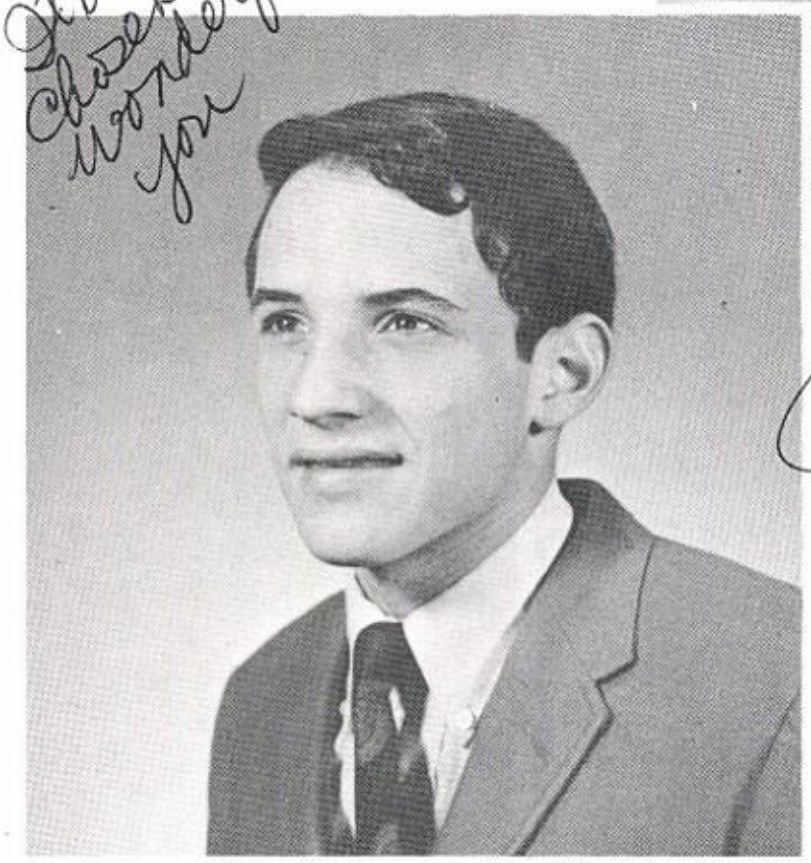
Oh boy was this a big shock to me
I'd never ever guess my class would want
me as a representative! Boy didn't but got
me anyhow!) But I was so thrilled! Gosh!
thanks again! I love my class so - it's
been a great year! Hope you full it
same! Debby
all-but Debby
Thanks!

Debby Legg

My being selected Senior Favorite is a reciprocal relation: I share respect and gratitude for the 1968 Seniors.



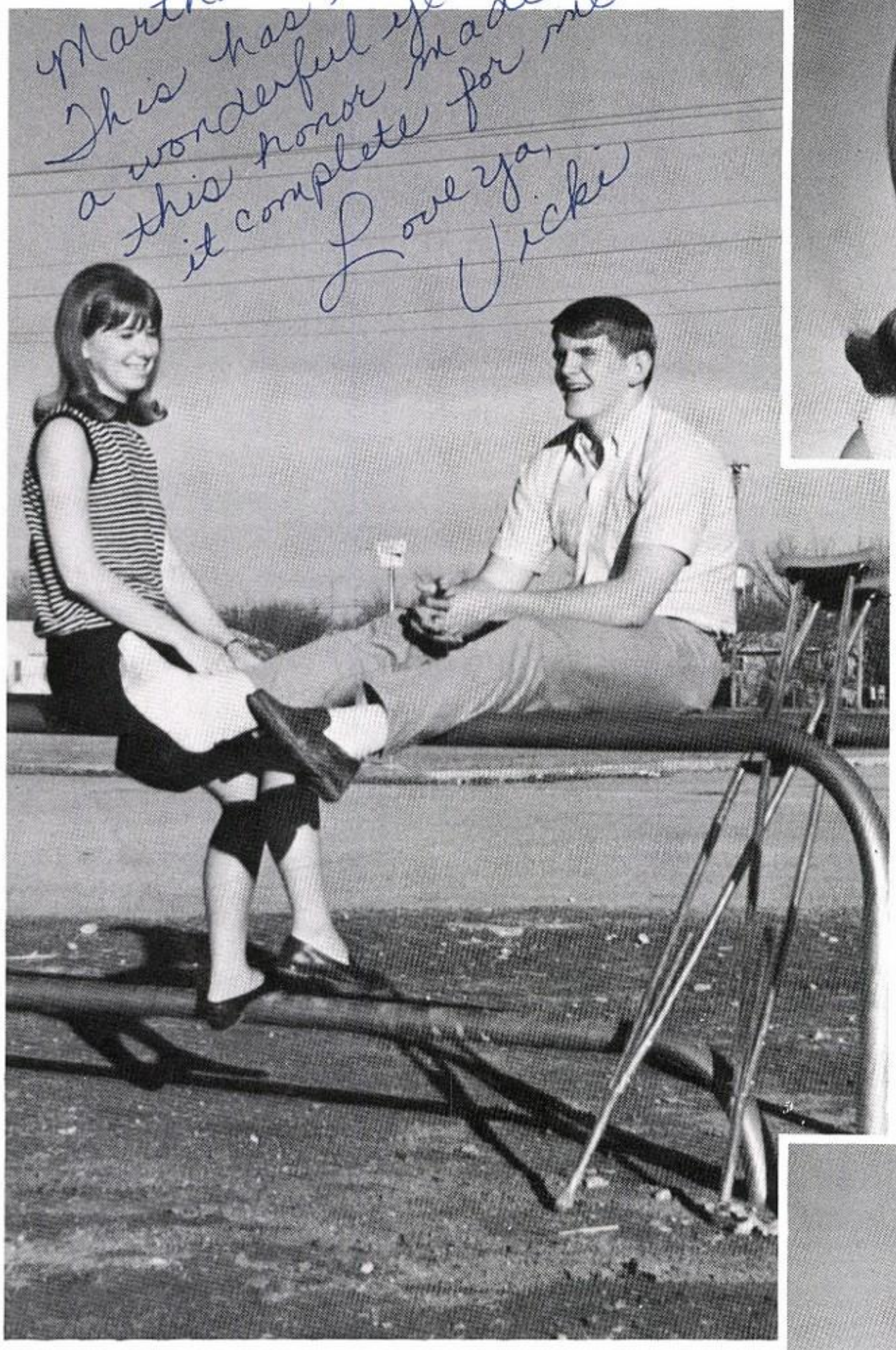
It was a privilege to be chosen - this by such a wonderful class - Thank you



Ted Sykes

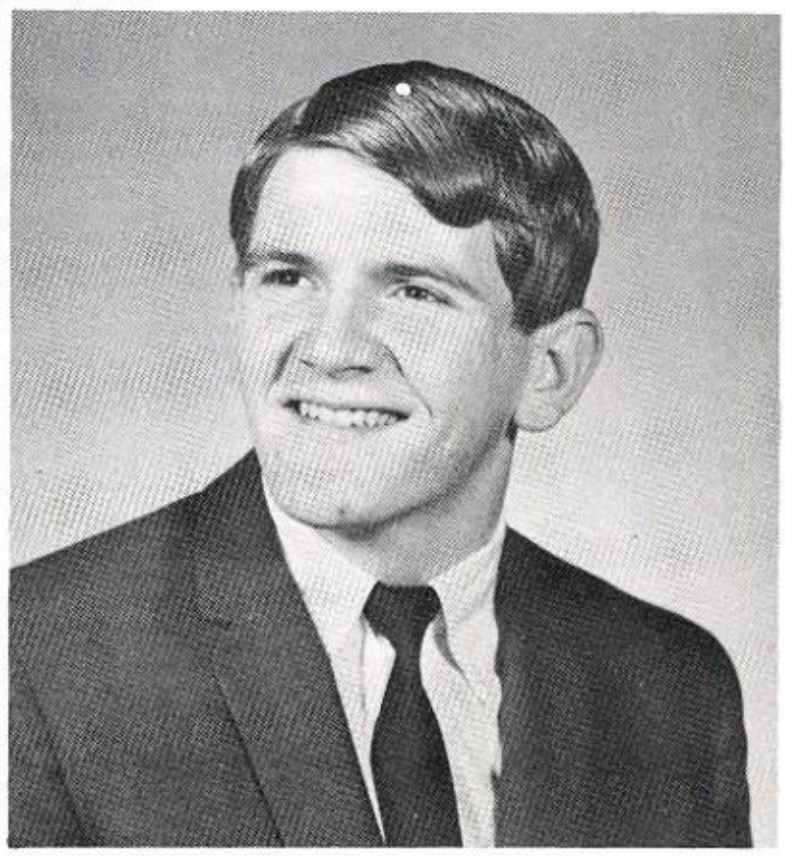
It is a privilege to be Senior Favorite of my favorite class - the 1968 Seniors.

Junior Favorites



Vicki Lee

I would like to take this opportunity to thank my classmates for the honor of class favorite. Being able to represent my class was a privilege that meant so much to me. I will always cherish this honor.



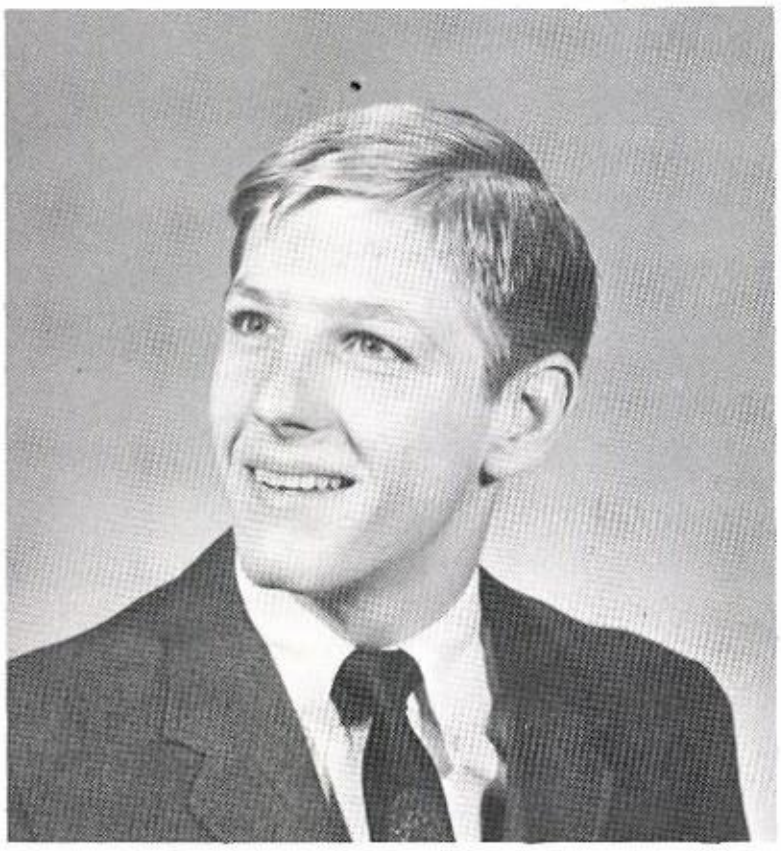
Johnny Shelton

I would like to take this opportunity to thank my classmates for making this honor possible for me. It is a wonderful privilege knowing that I have been chosen to represent such a great class. I shall cherish this honor forever.

Sophomore Favorites

Judy Cowlishaw

My first year in high school has been lots of fun and has fulfilled all my expectations of high school life. Also I think the Sophomore boys have worked hard to change their title from Bearcubs to Bearcats. I'm sure if every year to come in B. H. S. is as rewarding and fun-filled as this one, it will pass only too soon.



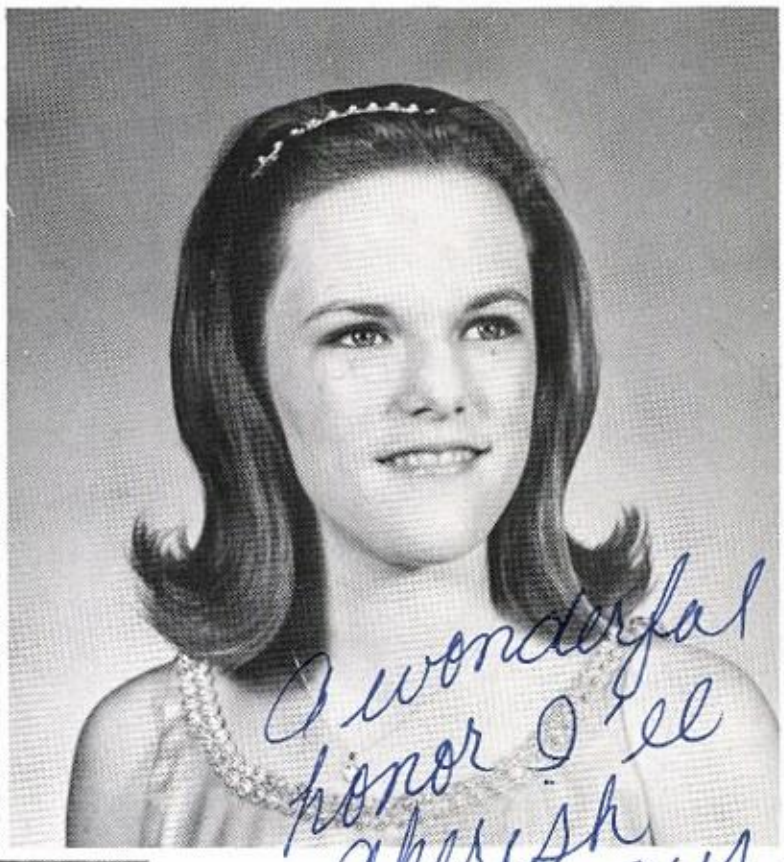
Freddy Lippe

It was a great honor to be "Sophomore Favorite." It is really a pleasure to represent such a great class that is made up of such wonderful people.

Freshman Favorites

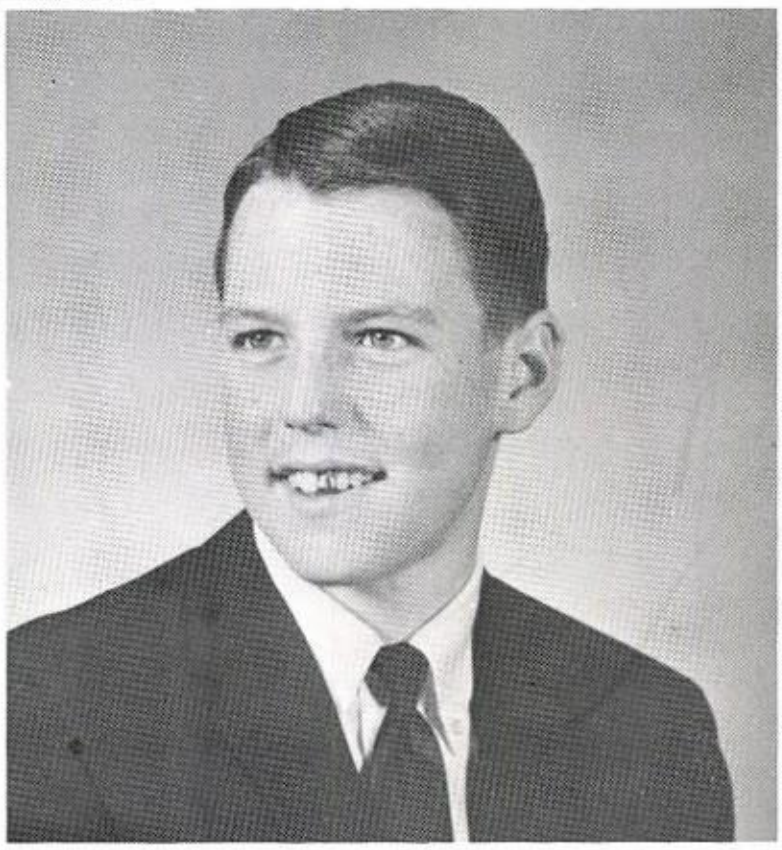
John Patterson

I have received many honors in Junior High, but none mean as much to me as this one. As a Bearcub I have learned a great deal from some great leaders in High School. I am looking forward to the next three years of being a Bearcat.

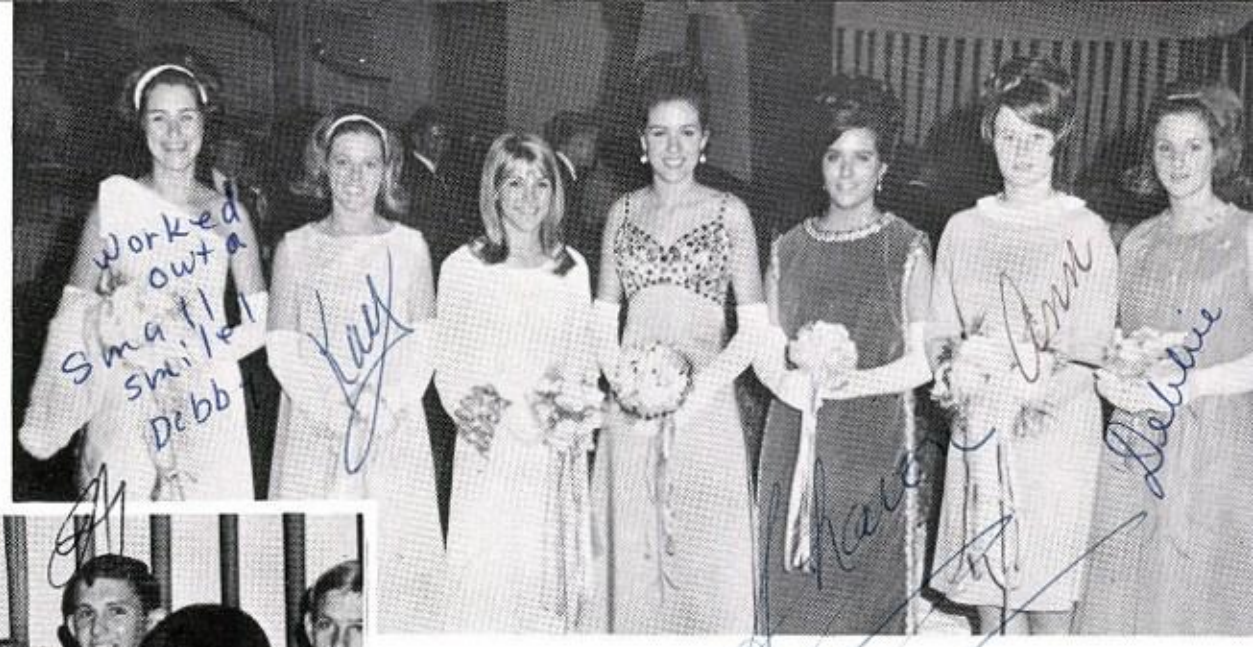


Tommye Jo Gabbert

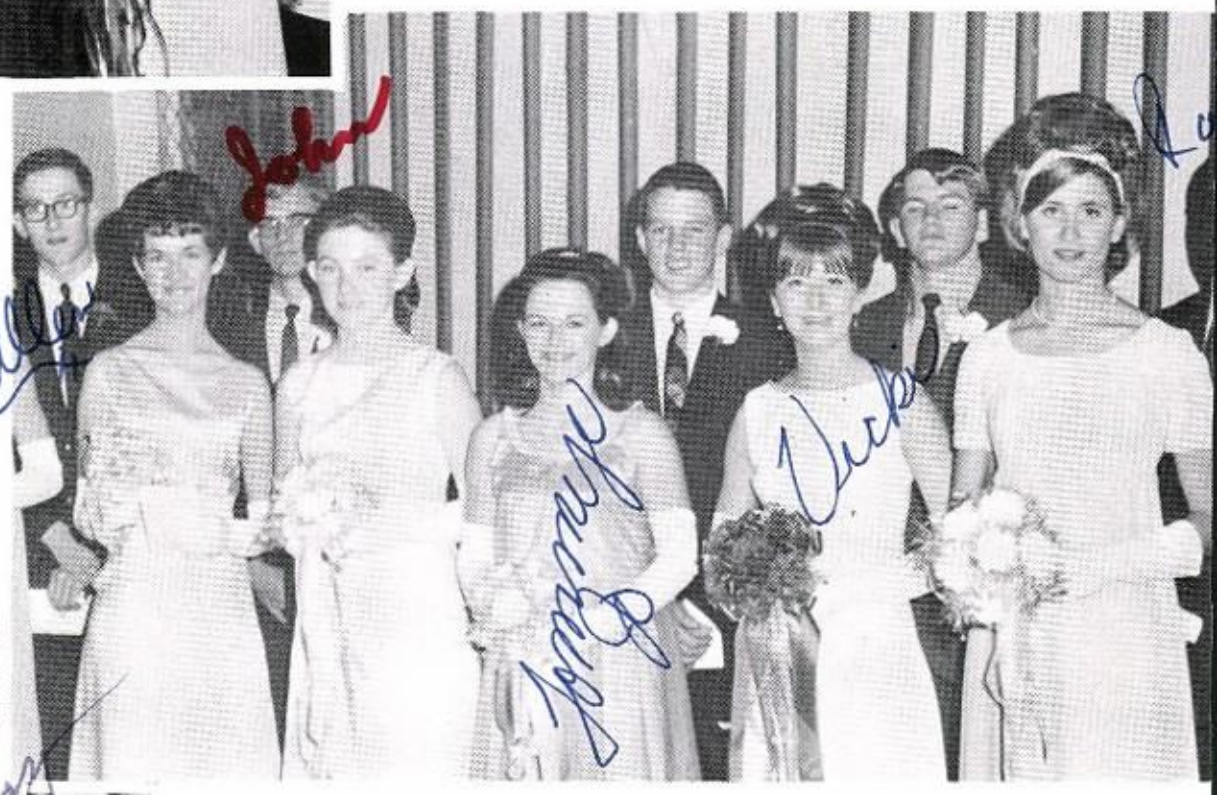
This honor which was bestowed upon me was one of the highlights of my freshman year. It was such a great feeling to know that my class members thought enough of me to present me with the wonderful honor - Freshman Favorite.



The PAW PRINTS Staff seemed very pleased that "A Night In A Christmas Village" was a big success.



A small but happy part of the Coronation Royalties.



"Sure we are happy, who wouldn't be?"

The smiles of Royalty. . . !

Words are unnecessary when expressive faces tell their stories.

A great night!! Charlotte & Larry July 6, 1968

I'll never forget this night. It was as wonderful and so is the boy! Debbie & Dale

So much fun with a precious boy - wouldn't you know he'd be from PR? Judy & Gerry

God, we had fun!

Julie & Jerry whoops!

What a night!! Kay & Kyle

Such a fabulous night guy! Debby

wonderful night Ted

Neat Night Lucie

What a night. What a date

Larry

Jennifer

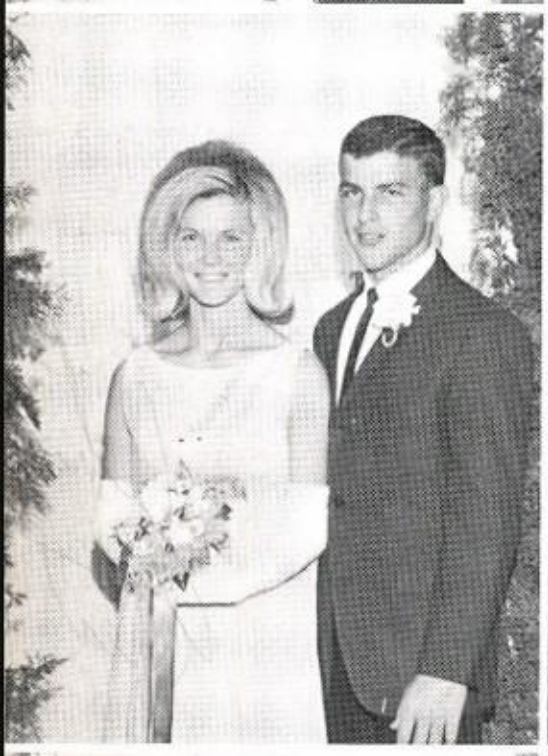
M.I.F.E. THE WOLF

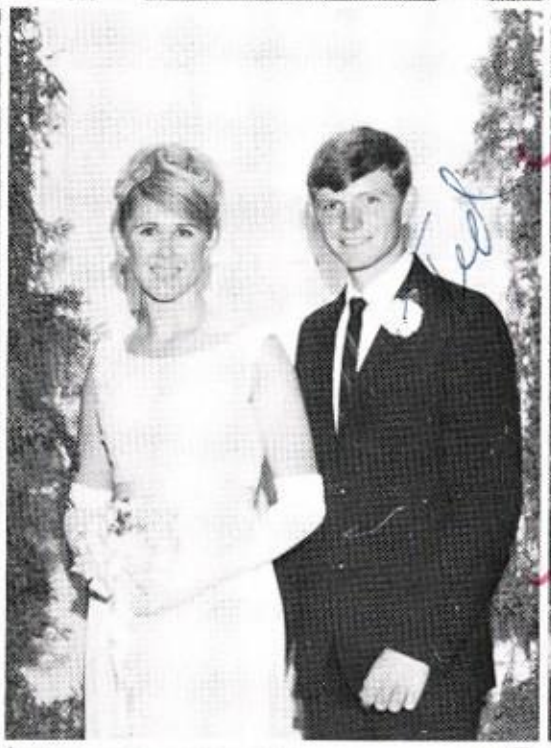
Terrie Johnson

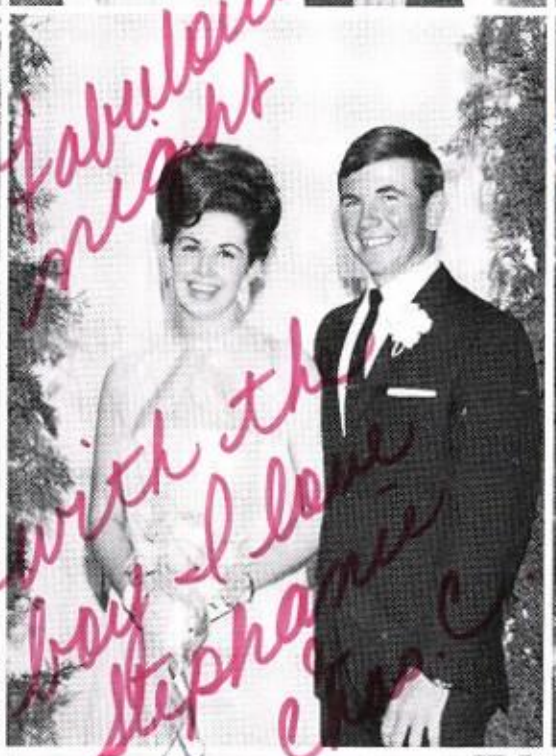
A great nite! Walt

A great mate & the greatest guy! Mary

Joyce - Kenneth
A wonderful night with a wonderful guy!
Joyce
&
Kenneth






Fabulous night
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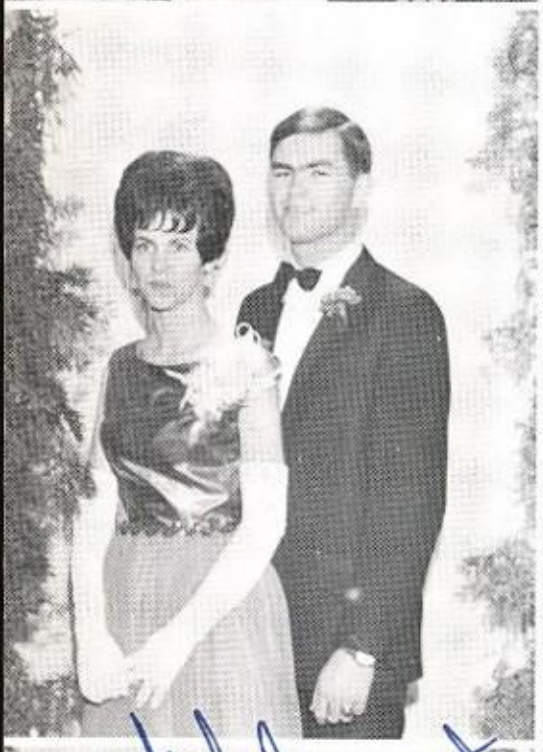
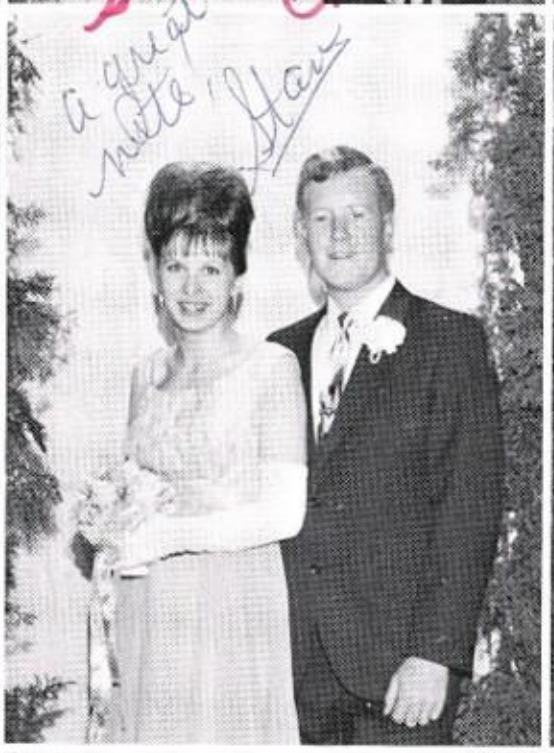
best I love
Stephanie

a Great Guy!!
Janice

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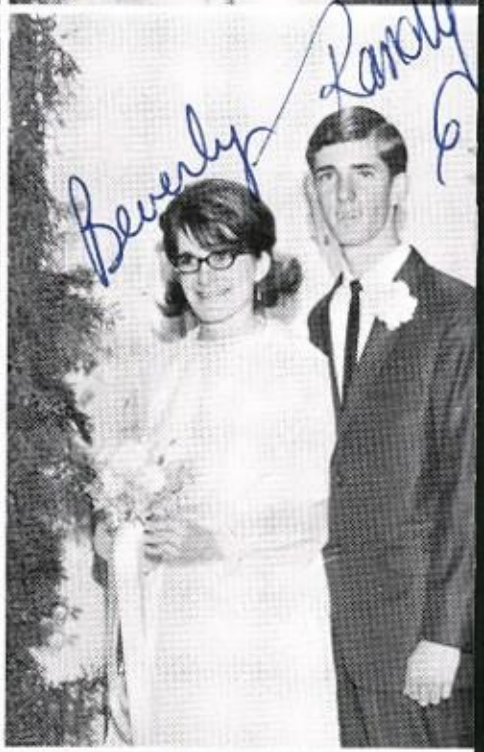
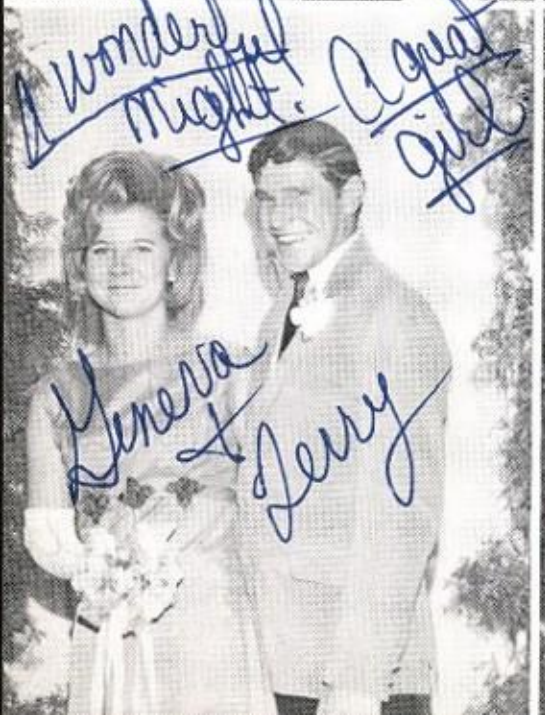
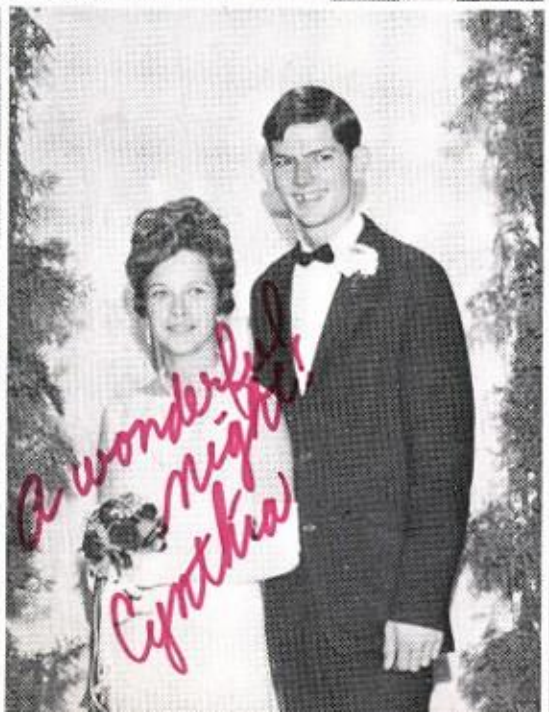

Beverly
Randy


A wonderful night! A great girl
Geneva & Terry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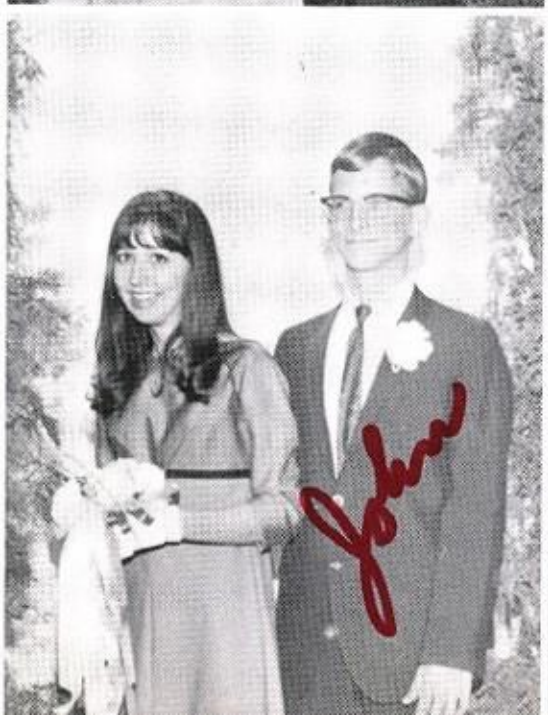
Cynthia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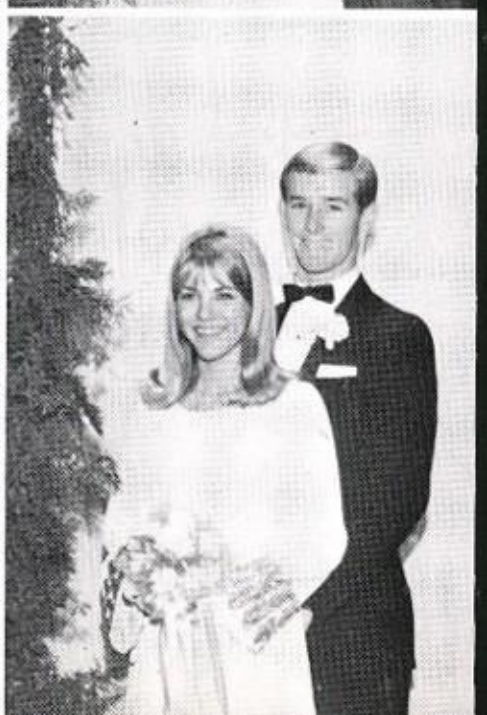
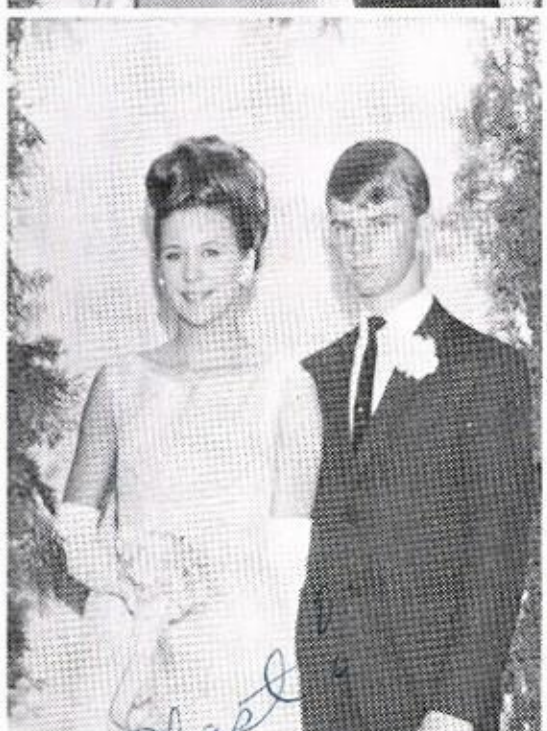


A blast!
Betty
Barbara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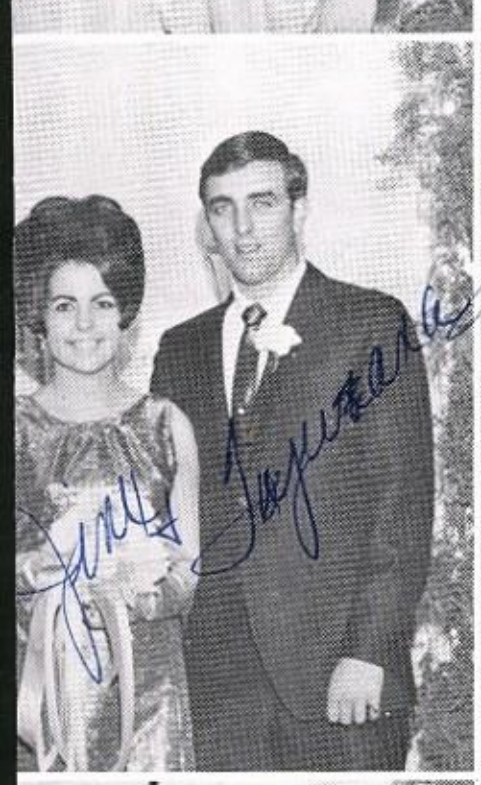
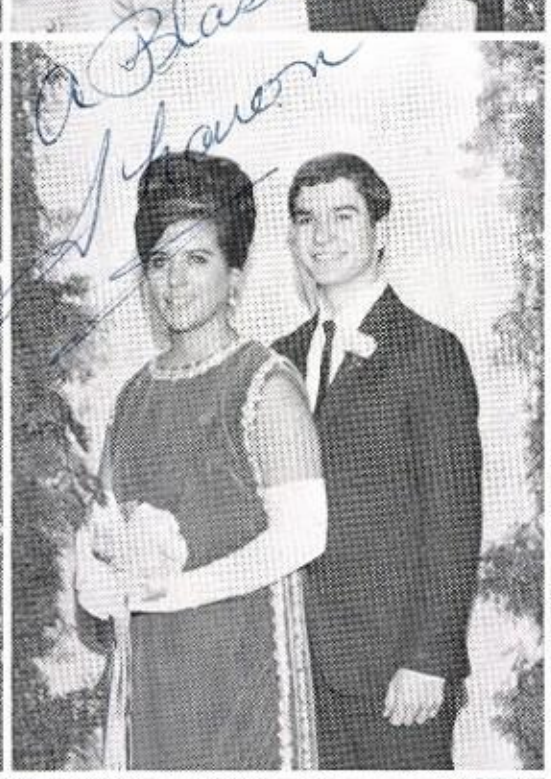

Love Jacqueline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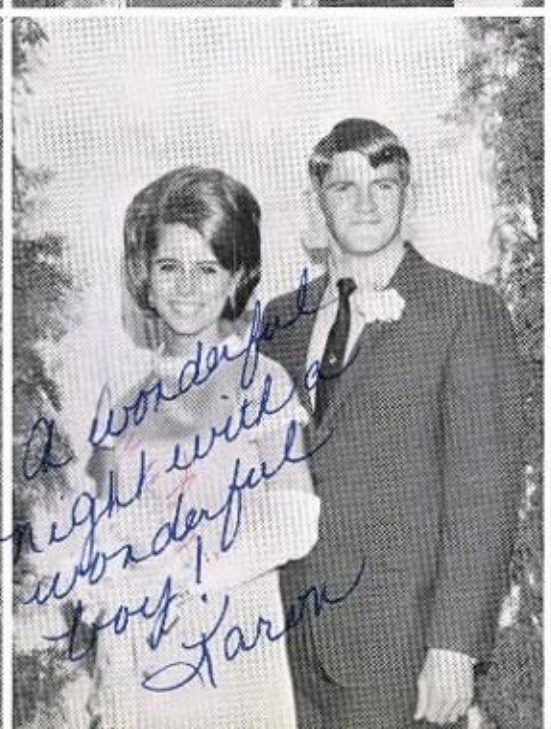
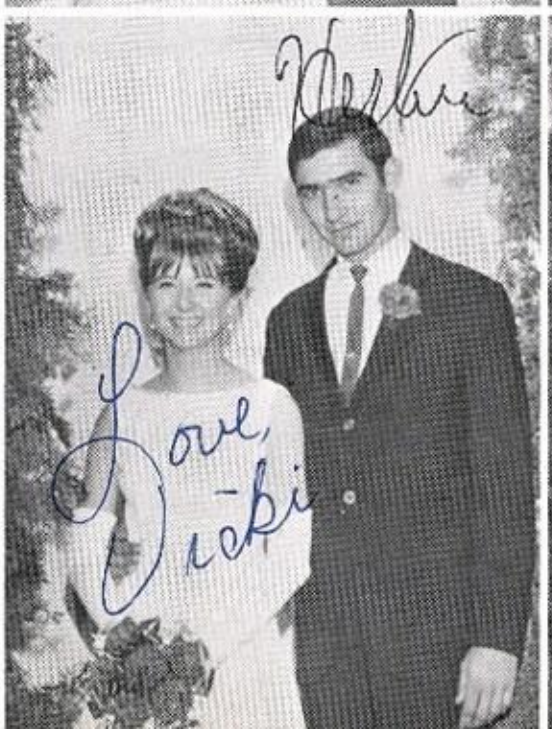
Love,
Jo Ella

A blast with a great guy!
Love ya!
Dale


A wonderful night with a wonderful boy!
Karen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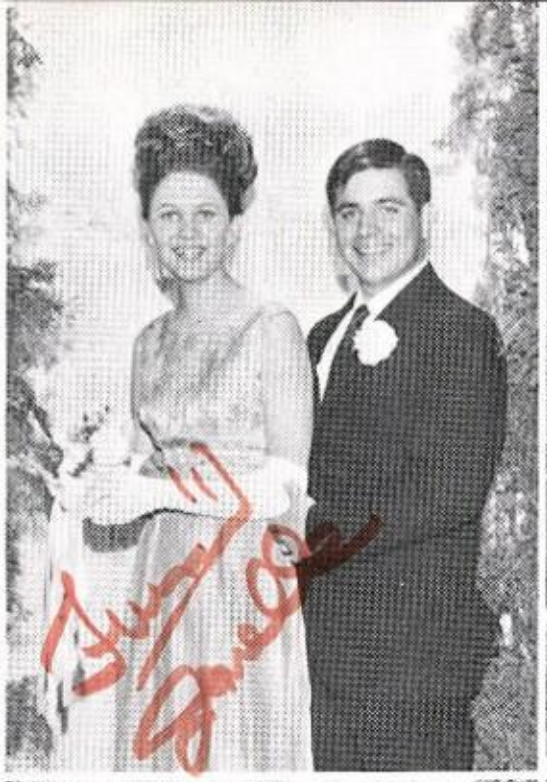
Vicki



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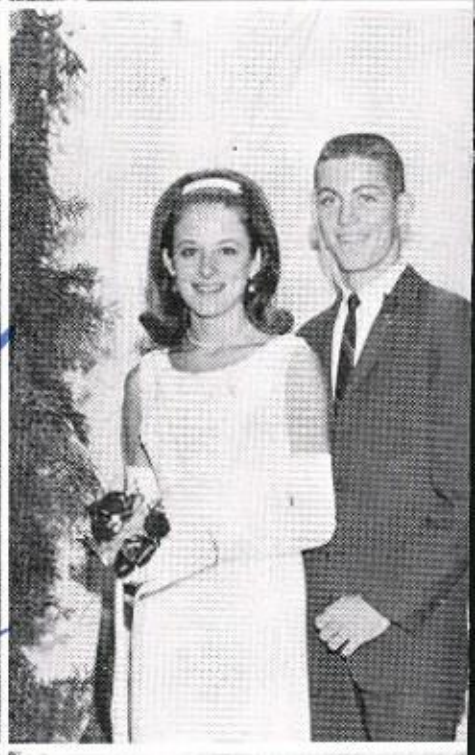

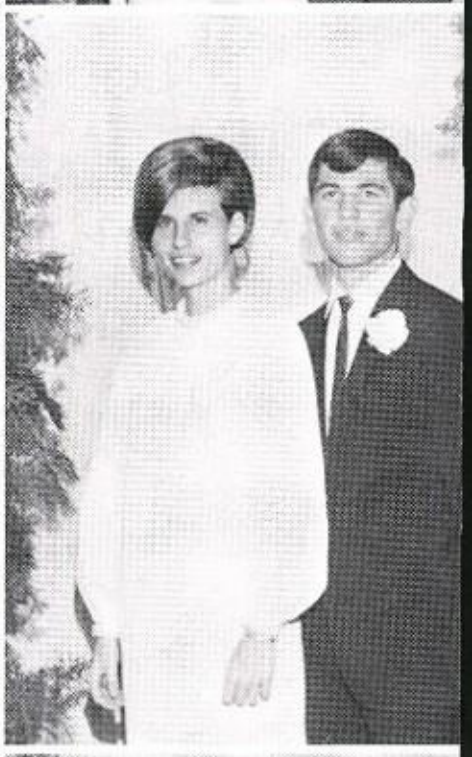

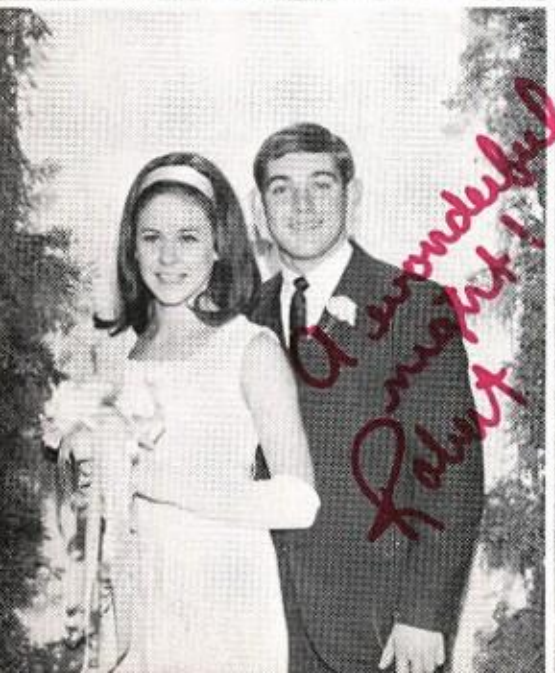
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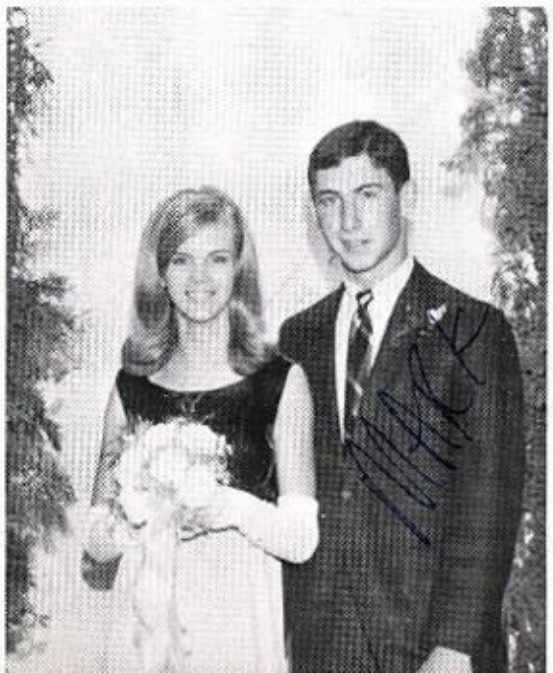
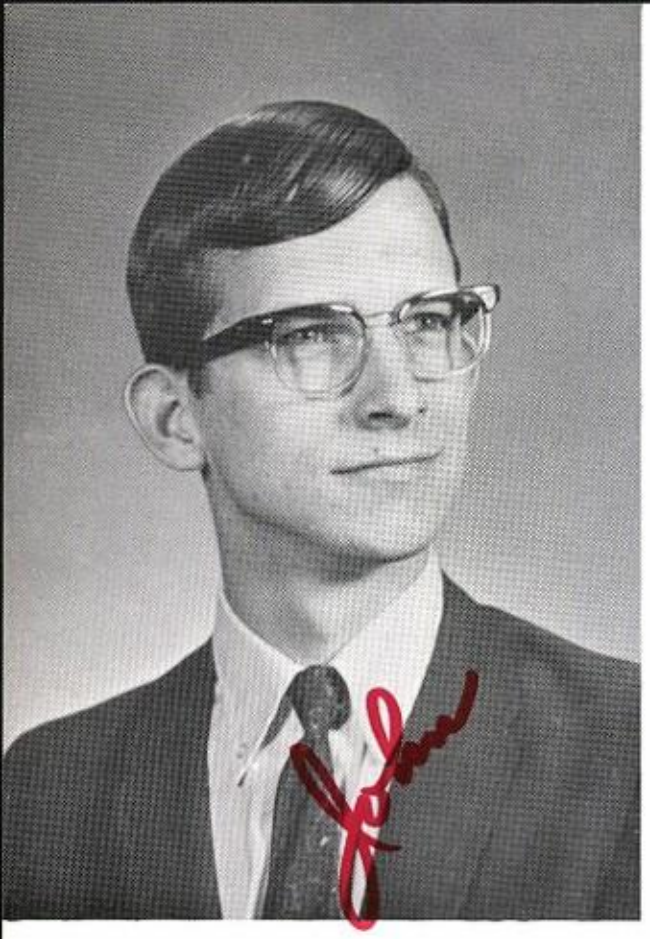


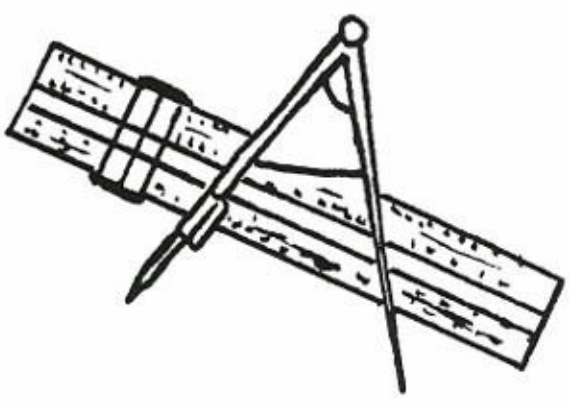
WHO'S WHO

Education is the way to serve the future. Students will have to experience advanced learning to cope with the problems of the future. Today's students who get an advanced education will be the ones who will take over the most important positions in the future.

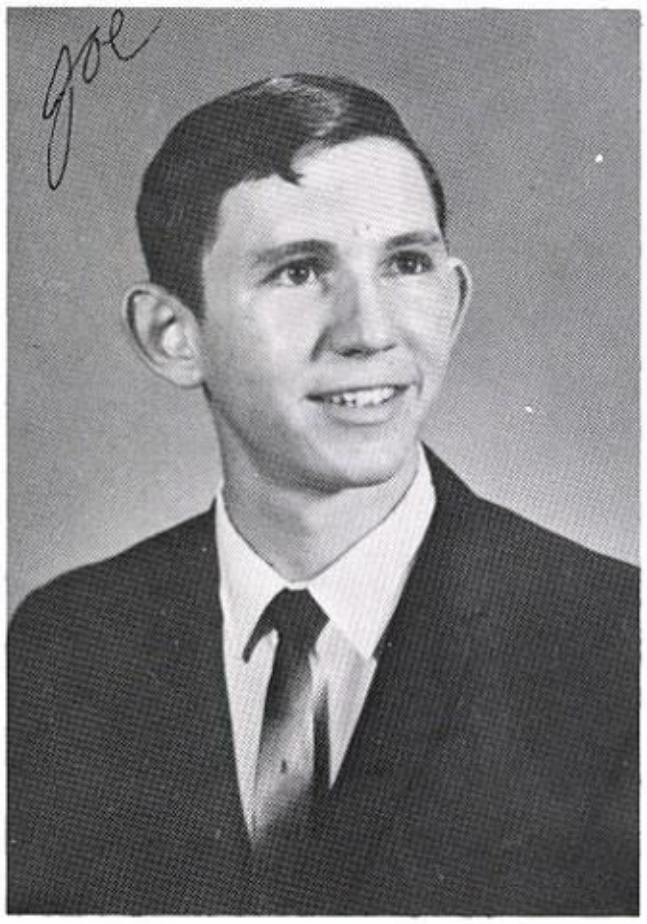


John Green was selected Who's Who in Pre-Calculus because of his understanding, reasoning, ability, and maturity in the field of mathematics.

You were such a help in this.
John

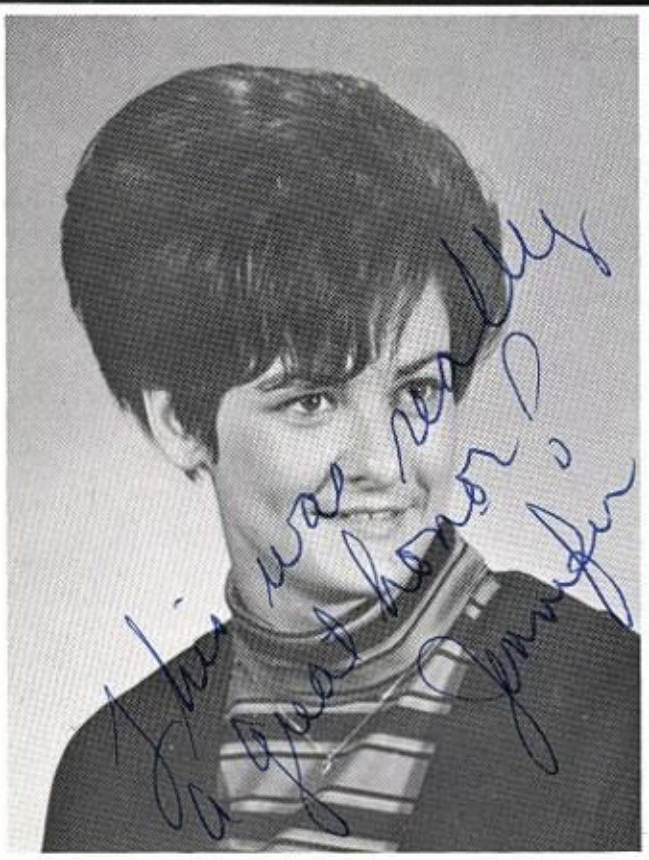


Kay Redman was selected Who's Who in General Shop I because she was above average in her work.

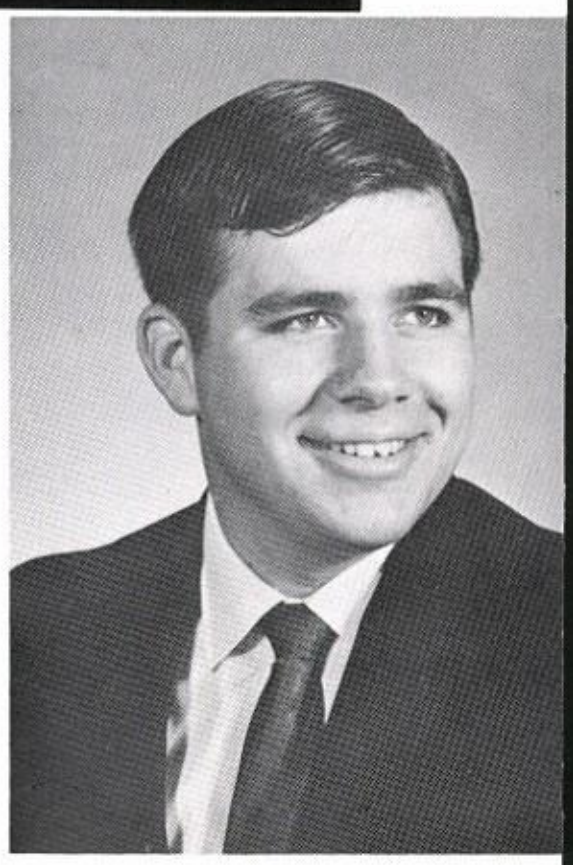


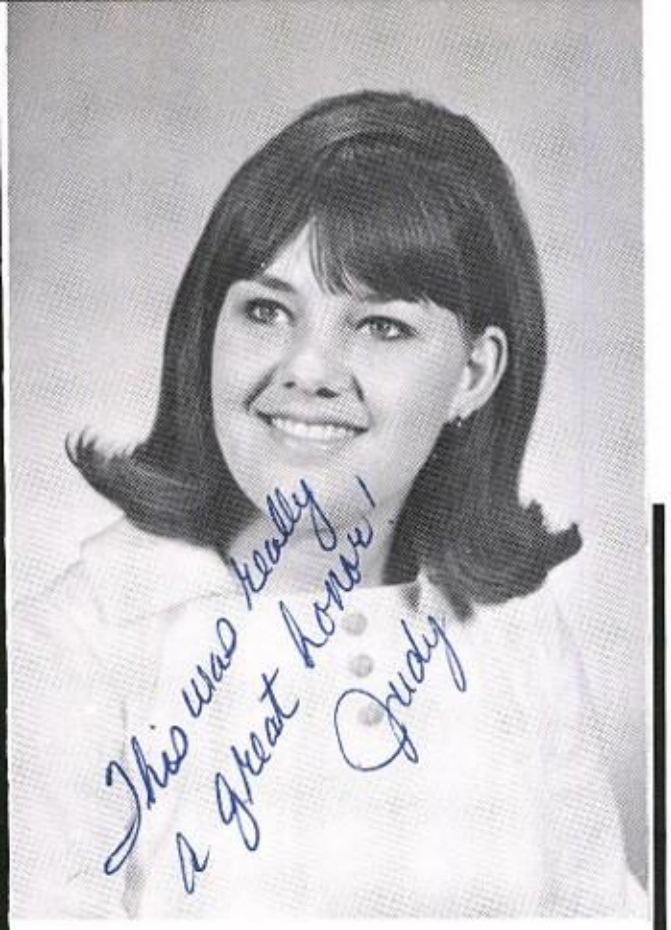
Joe Baird was selected as Who's Who in V. A. II because of his leadership ability, participation in F. F. A. activities and willingness to work.

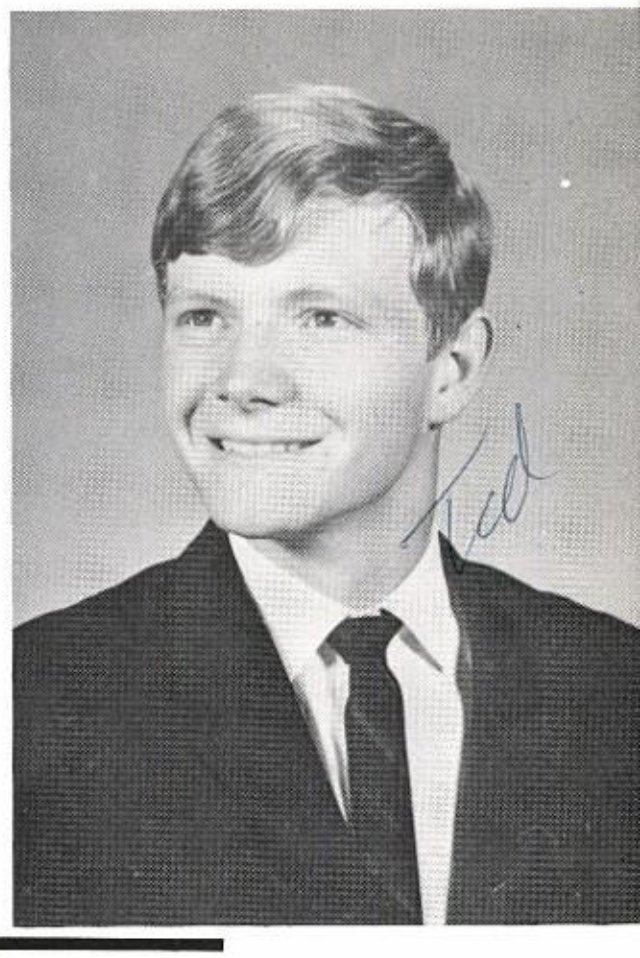
Jennifer Tyler was selected Who's Who in Speech I because of her good example for others to follow in the classroom.



Joe Fowler was selected as Who's Who in Band because of his excellence in performance and dedication to the organization.





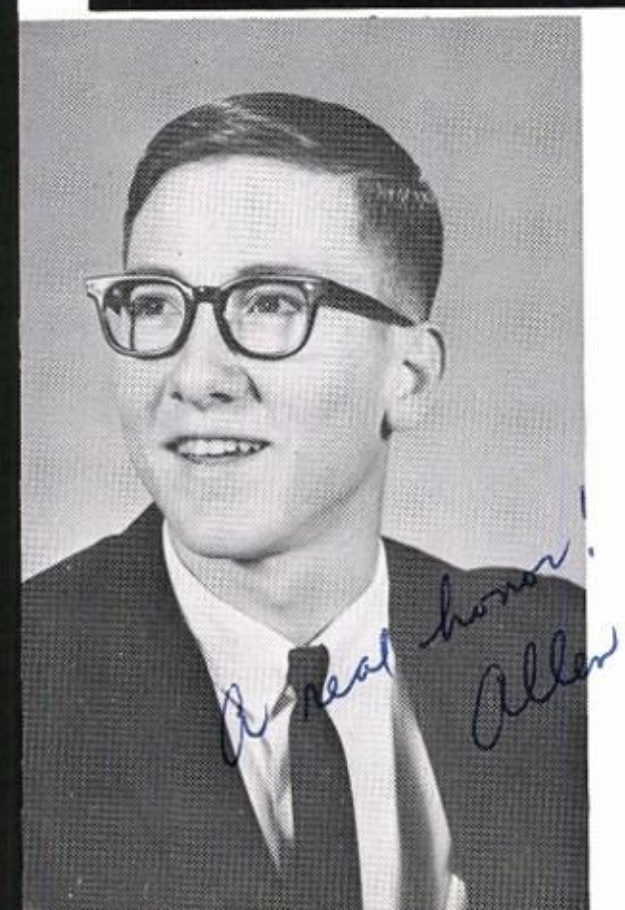


Judy Burkes was chosen Who's Who in Civics because of her fine work and excellent attitude.

Ted Ahrens was selected Who's Who in Boy's Physical Education because of his good attitude and willingness to work. Ted was also selected as Who's Who in General Drafting because he has shown the ability to solve problems in General Drafting and he seemed to be above the average student.

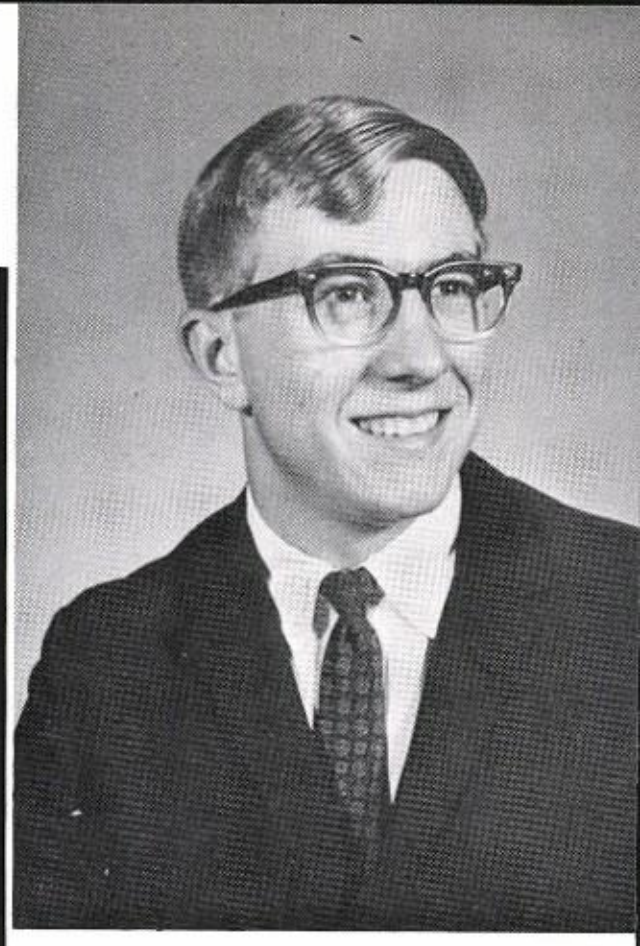
Allen Wilbanks was selected as Who's Who in V. A. IV because of his leadership ability, participation in F. F. A. activities and willingness to work.

Bonnie Moon was chosen as Who's Who in Choral Music because she represents the spirit of the choir. She is a daily example of the diligent participation that we expect from each member, and takes an intelligent and artistic approach to music.

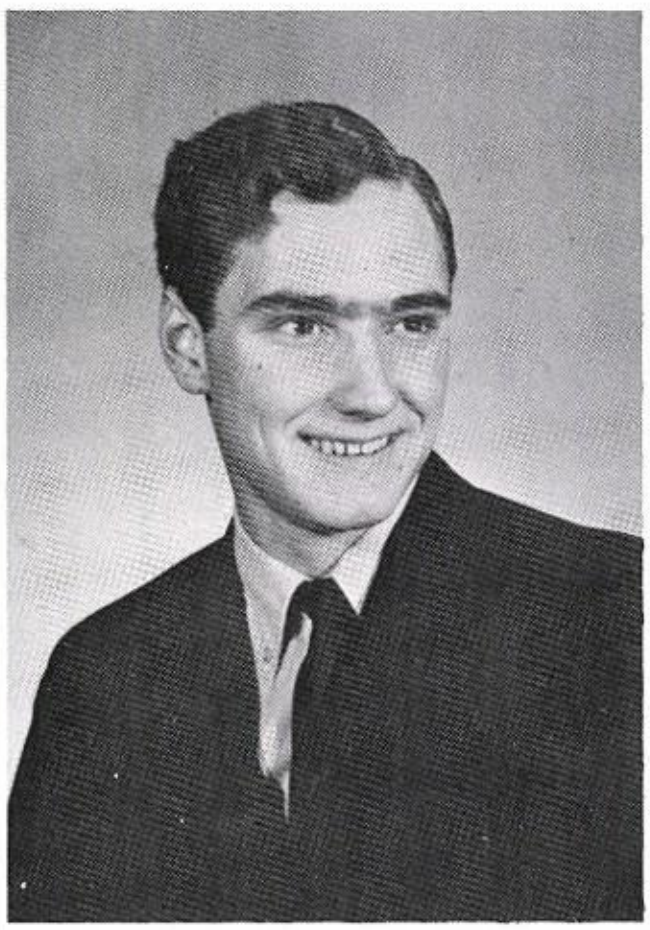


Linda Midgley, Who's Who in Typewriting II, is able to prepare work in a fast, efficient and an accurate manner. Combining speed with typing skill, many business forms and practices are produced in a specified time. To produce mailable work in the shortest possible time, is the goal of Typewriting II.

Scholarship, cooperation, interest, character, and attainments placed Deborah Routh first in English III.

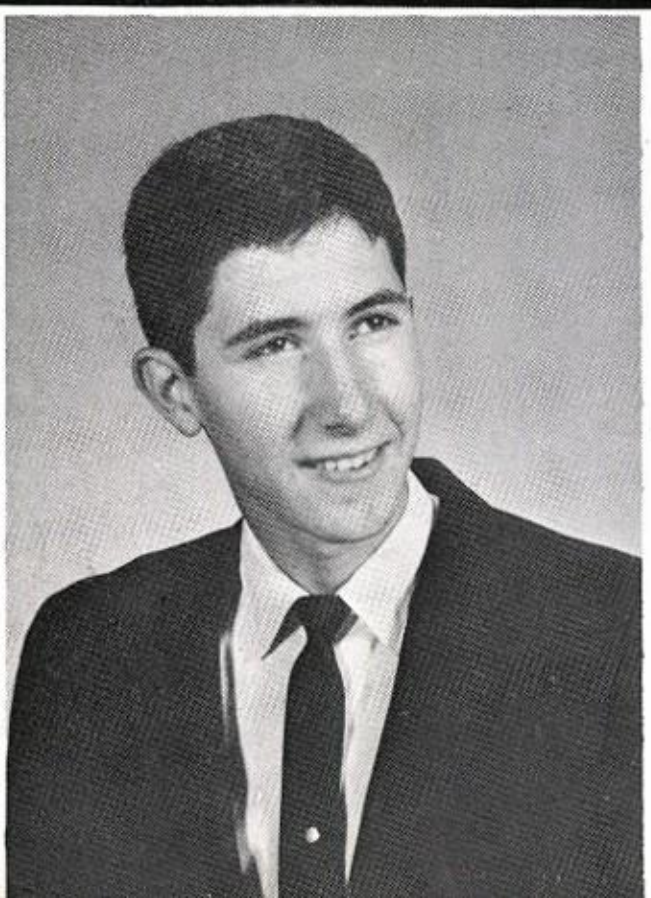


Gary Bomar was selected as Who's Who in V. A. III because of his leadership ability, participation in F. F. A. activities and willingness to work.

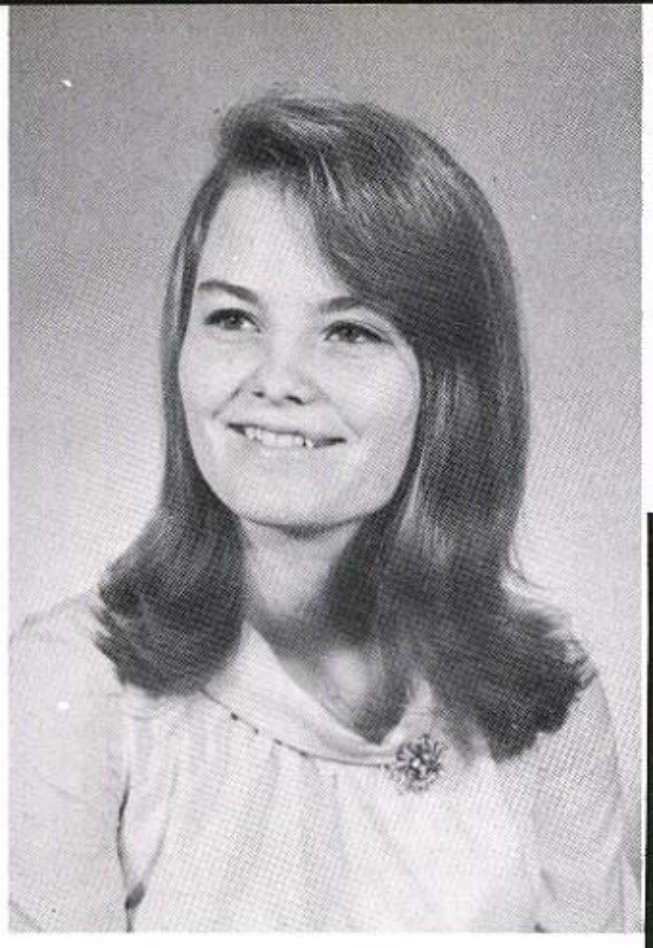


Because of his enthusiastic approach to the subject and his high scholastic standing, Carl Hubbell was chosen Who's Who in Spanish II.

Judy Cowlishaw was selected Who's Who in Homemaking II not only for her high grades, but also for her reliability, industry, cooperativeness and participation in F. H. A.



Rick Holstead shows great interest and pride in his work as well as an ability to solve the problems in drafting. He received Who's Who in Pre-Engineering Drafting.



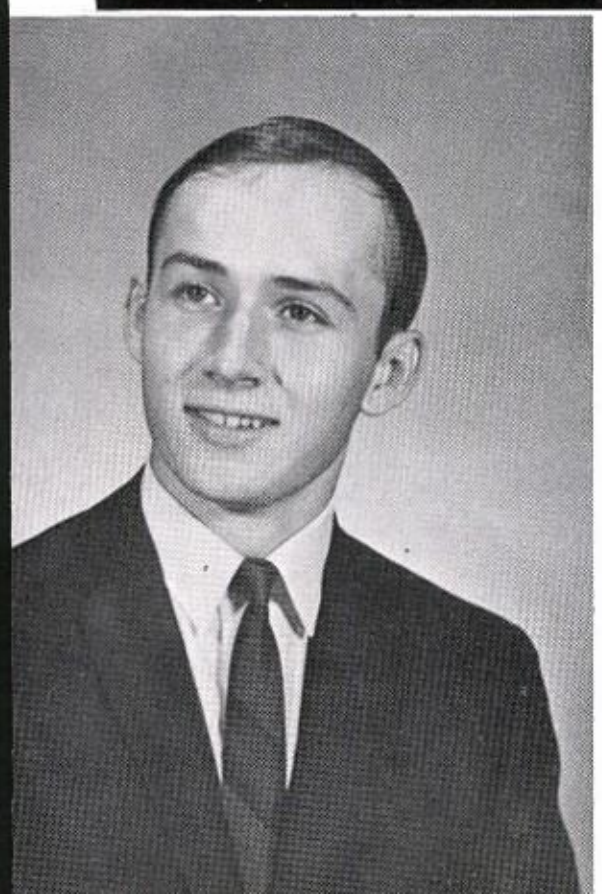
Linda Burgess was chosen Who's Who in Speech II because of her excellence in grades and dependability. Linda, also Who's Who in Typewriting I, has the mental and physical coordination necessary for the good typist. She is able to apply initiative, good proofreading, placement and typing skill to personal and office problems.

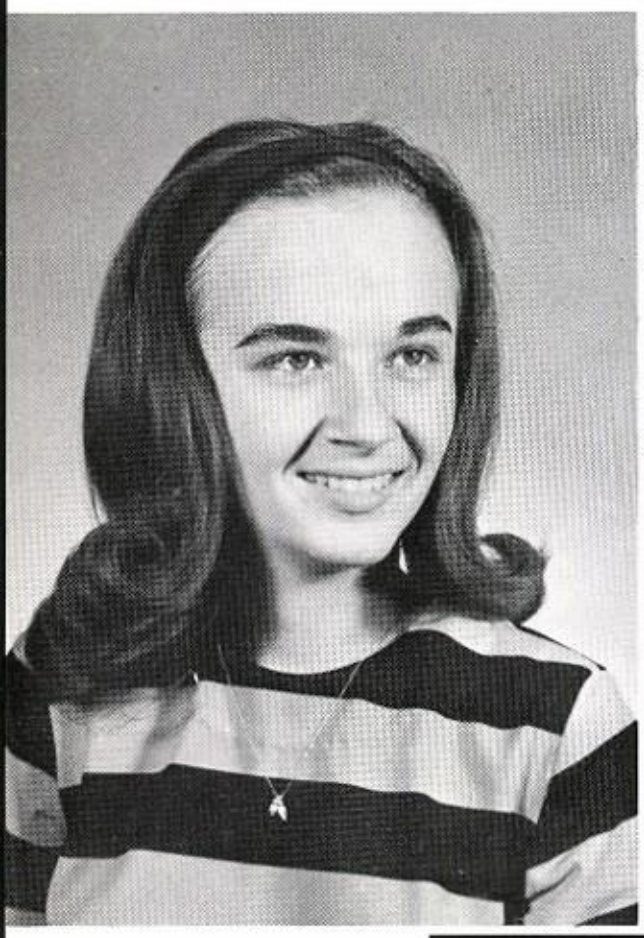
Waymond Dixon was chosen as Who's Who because of his ability to remember and expand principles of Algebra I. This was why he was chosen for Algebra II.

Zane Beck was named Who's Who in English II not only for his scholastic perfection in the subject, but also for his capabilities in written and oral expression.

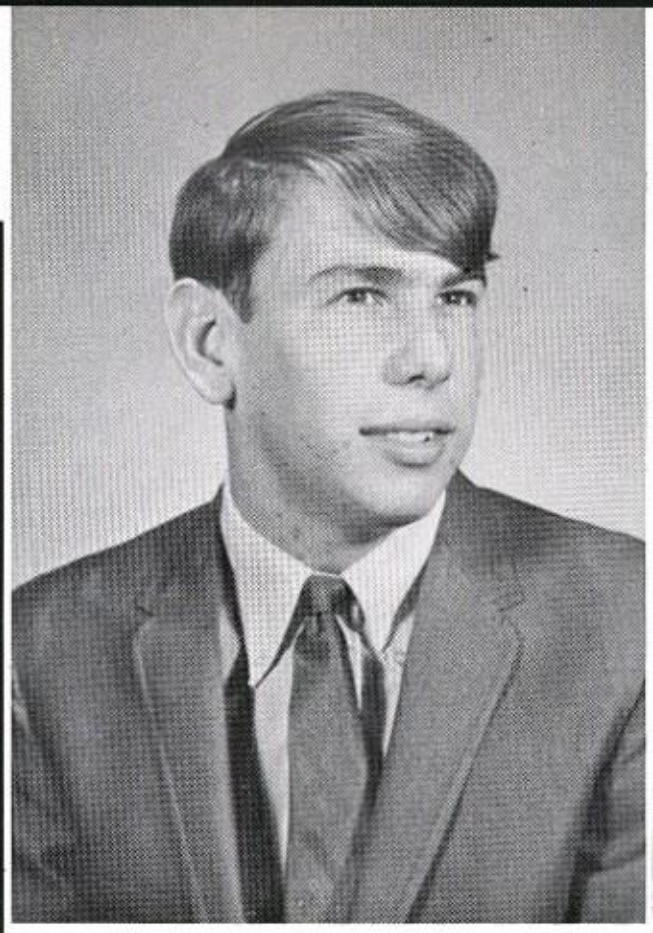
Linda Bruchmiller received Who's Who in Homemaking III because of her grades and because of her attitude and interest in homemaking.

Sharon Schwertner, Who's Who in Shorthand, was chosen because of her interest in her work, preparation of daily assignments, and good grades.





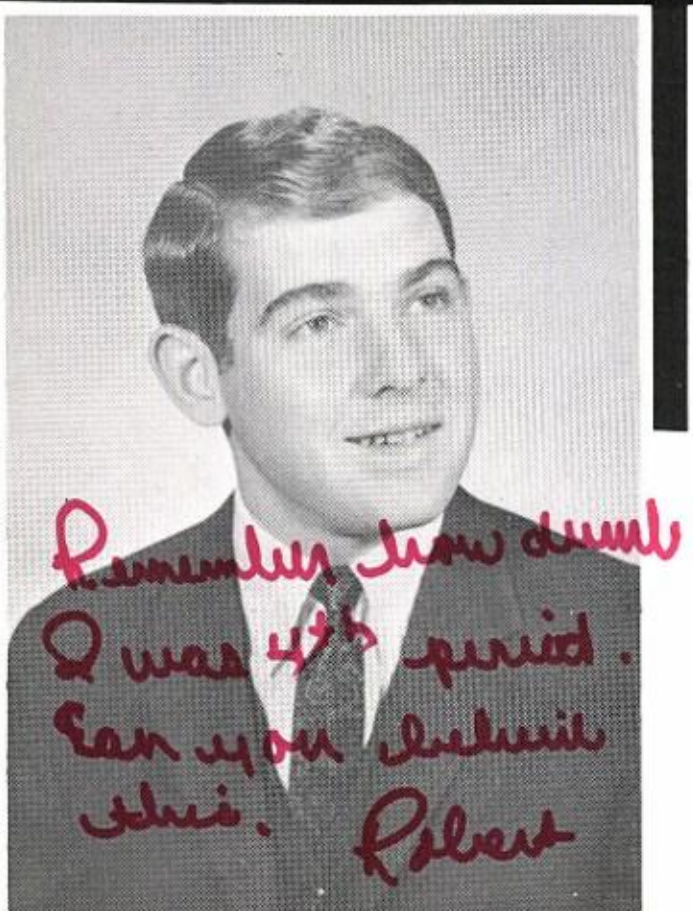
Attaining highest grade points and being thoroughly dependable, Telena Burk achieved Who's Who in English IV. Telena's problem solving ability and comprehension of experimental work as well as high performance grades add up to an outstanding student who received Who's Who in Chemistry.



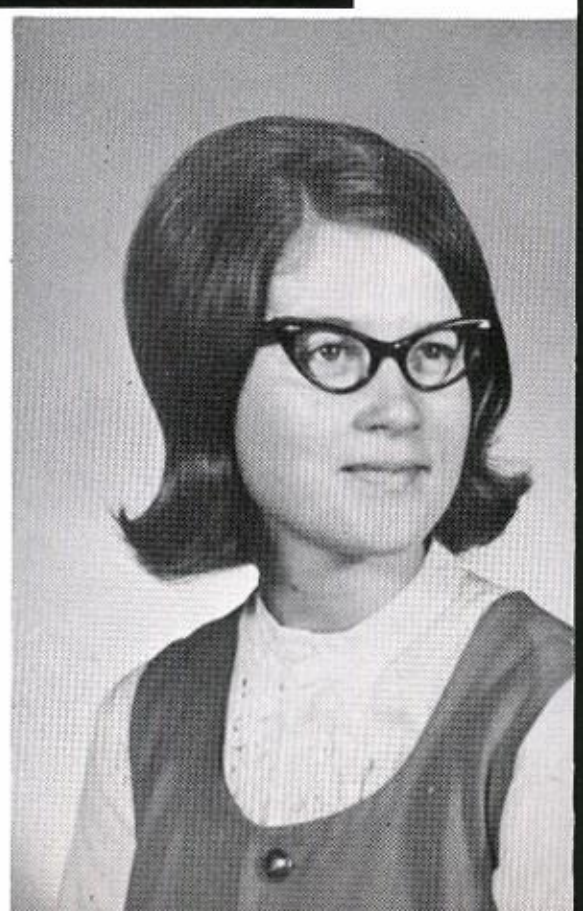
Bill Wood has shown to be above average in desire and skill in General Woodworking.

Robert Boothe was selected as Who's Who in V.A. I because of his leadership ability, participation in F.F.A. activities and willingness to work.

Deborah Martin received Who's Who in Related Mathematics because she met the requirements necessary and attained the highest grades.

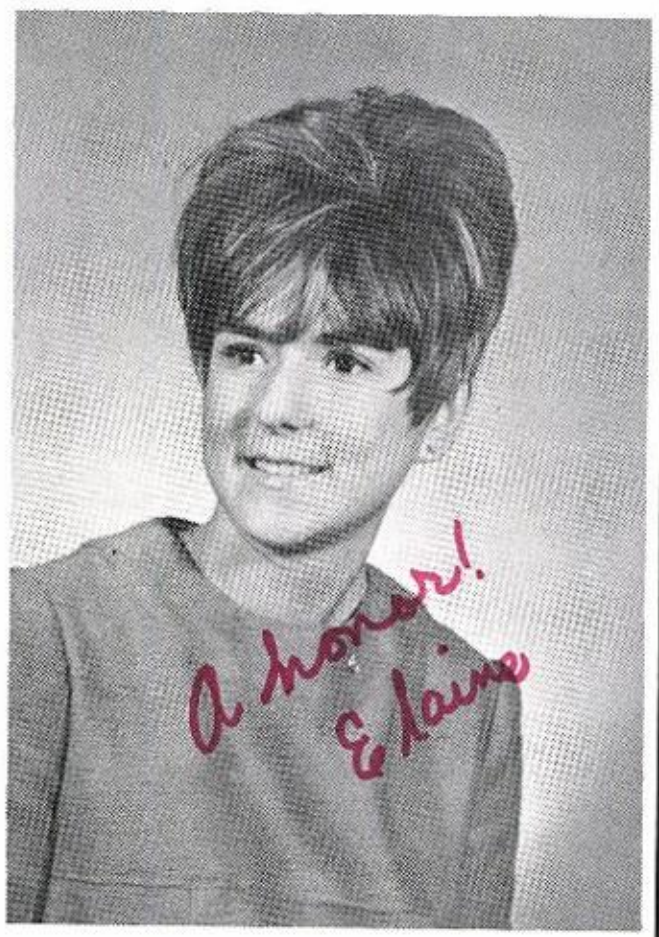


Lois Halfmann was selected Who's Who in Homemaking I for her high scholastic rating, her enthusiasm and initiative shown in her classwork, and her membership in F.H.A.



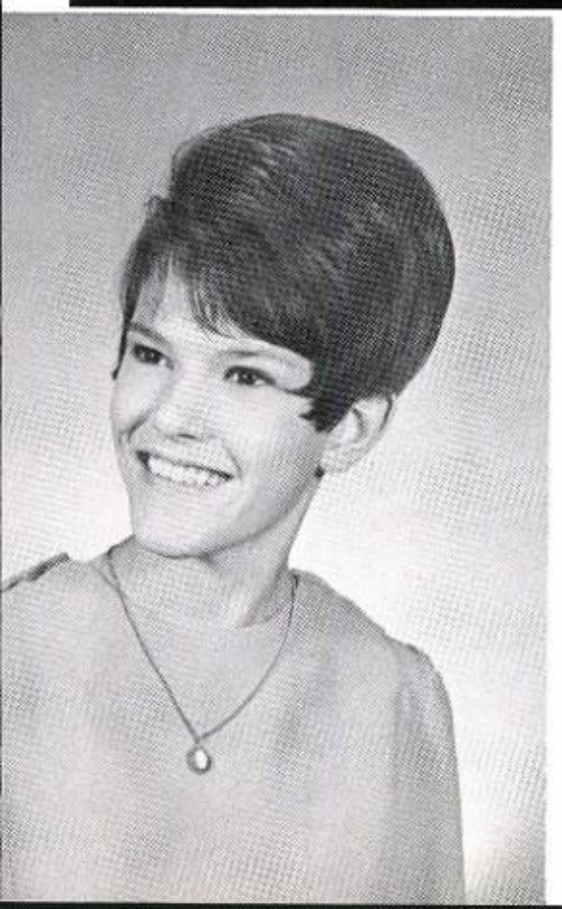
Joyce Halfmann was chosen Who's Who in Physical Education because of her general ability in all sports. Joyce is very cooperative, enthusiastic, and skillful. She also maintains a high grade average.

Mary Hoffman was designated Who's Who in American History this year for her meticulous treatment of daily work, the testing program and special projects.

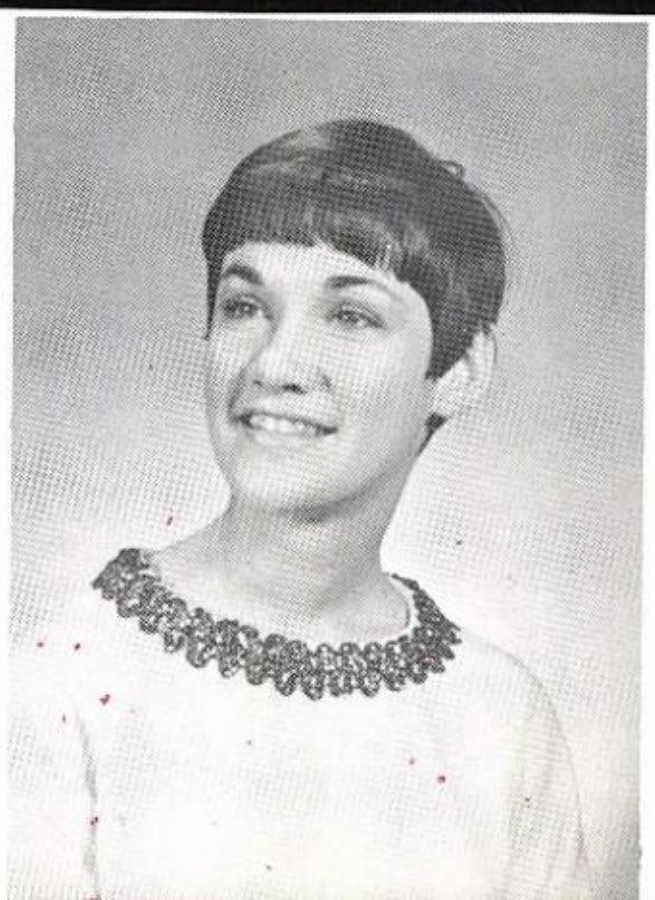


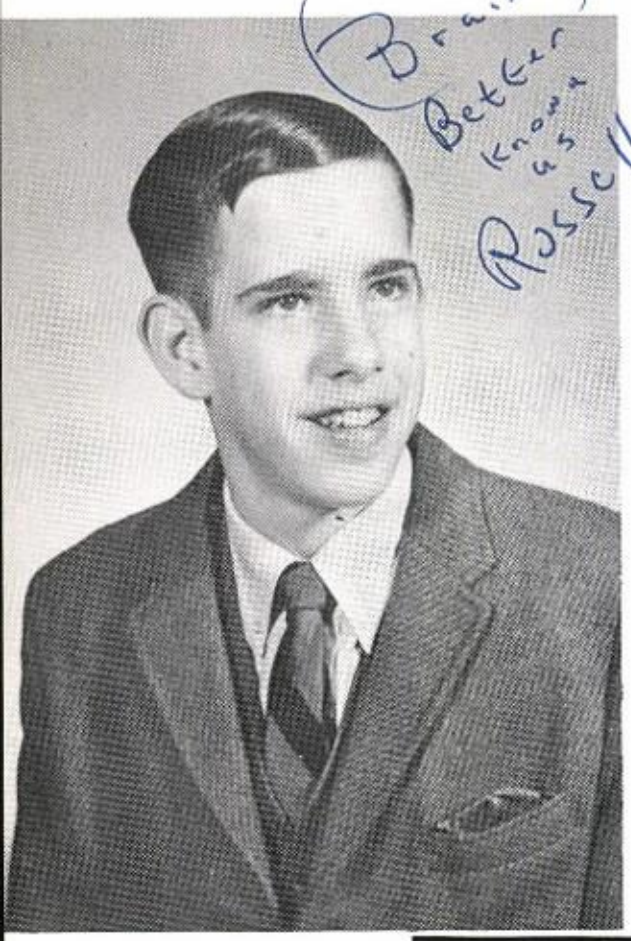
Donna Tunget was chosen Who's Who in World History because of her interest in history, by consistently preparing assignments, and participating wholeheartedly in class projects and discussions. Donna was also selected Who's Who in Biology because of her industrious approach to solving biological problems coupled with a high academic standing were leading factors in her being selected Who's Who in Biology.

The selection of a student in Plane Geometry was based on knowledge, potential, application, and attitude. The quality of excellence exhibited in the work of Laura Jones made her election the most logical one.

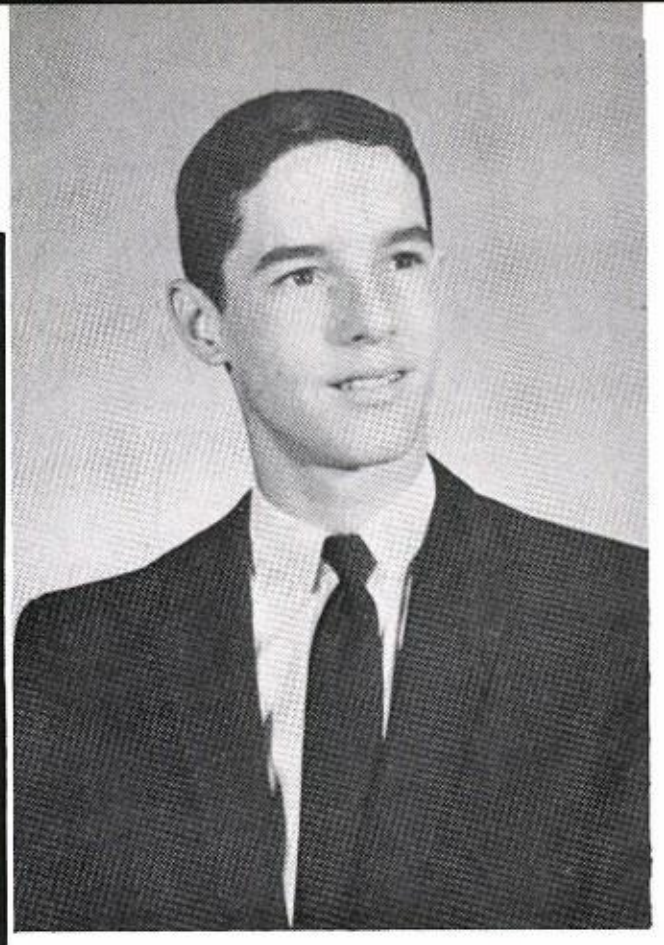


Elaine McWilliams was selected Who's Who in Bookkeeping for her ability to reason out a problem, the contributions she has made to her class, and promptness and neatness in turning in completed work.





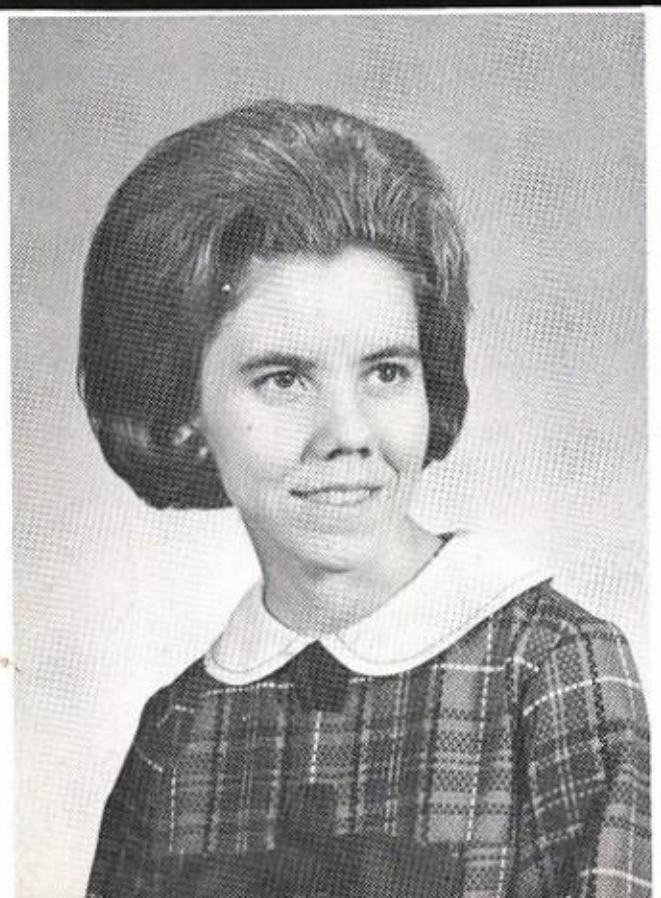
A cooperative spirit and excellent grades were decisive factors in the selection of Russell Hearn for Who's Who in Spanish I.

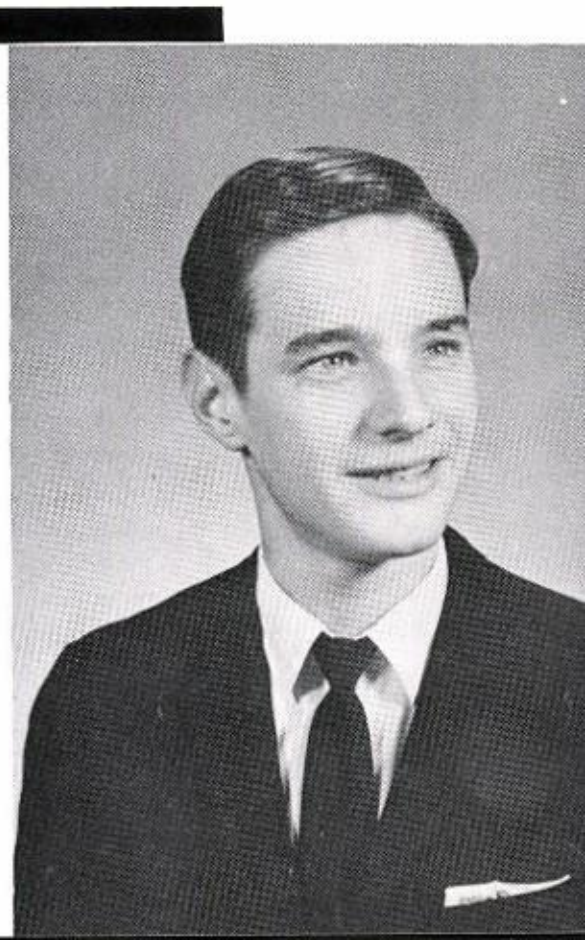


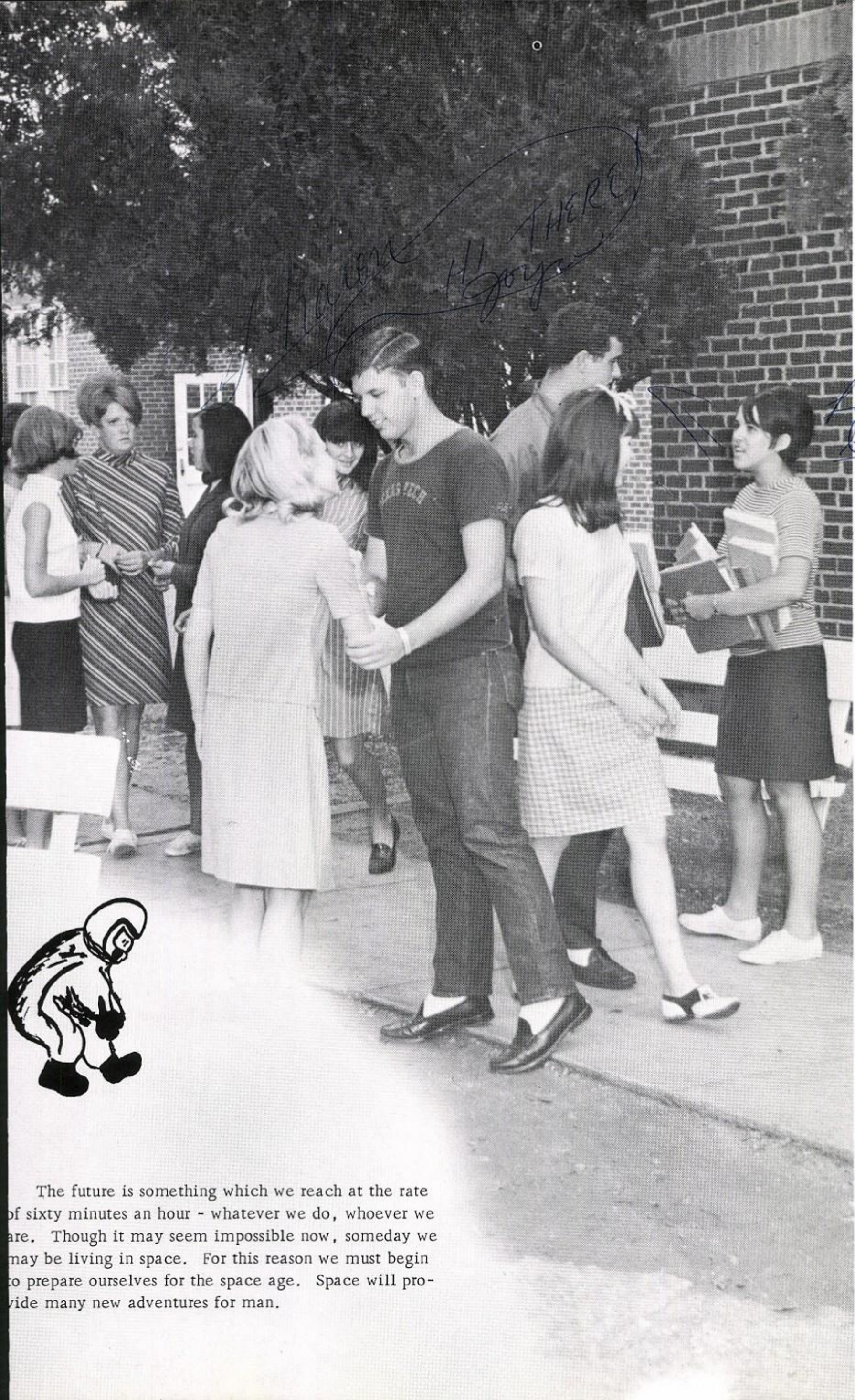
Ricky Akins was selected as Who's Who in Algebra I based on subject knowledge, classroom excellence, attitude, and citizenship.

Deborah Goetz's grades are near perfection, and shows originality and enthusiasm in the classroom. She is proficient in composition and literature and this is the reason she was selected as Who's Who in English I.

Mark Fuqua shows an extra willingness to somehow make the best better, not only in science, but also in his everyday activities. He received Who's Who in General Science.







SNAPS

The future is something which we reach at the rate of sixty minutes an hour - whatever we do, whoever we are. Though it may seem impossible now, someday we may be living in space. For this reason we must begin to prepare ourselves for the space age. Space will provide many new adventures for man.

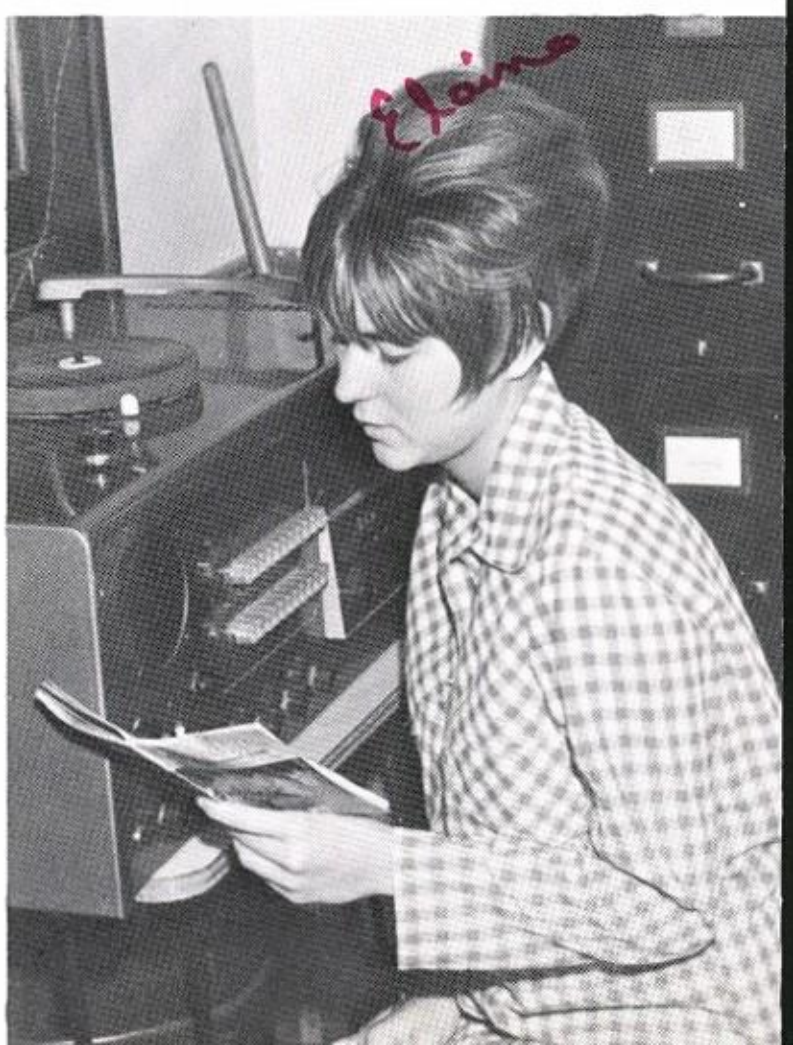
"Are you sure that you understand it now Johnny?" "No!"

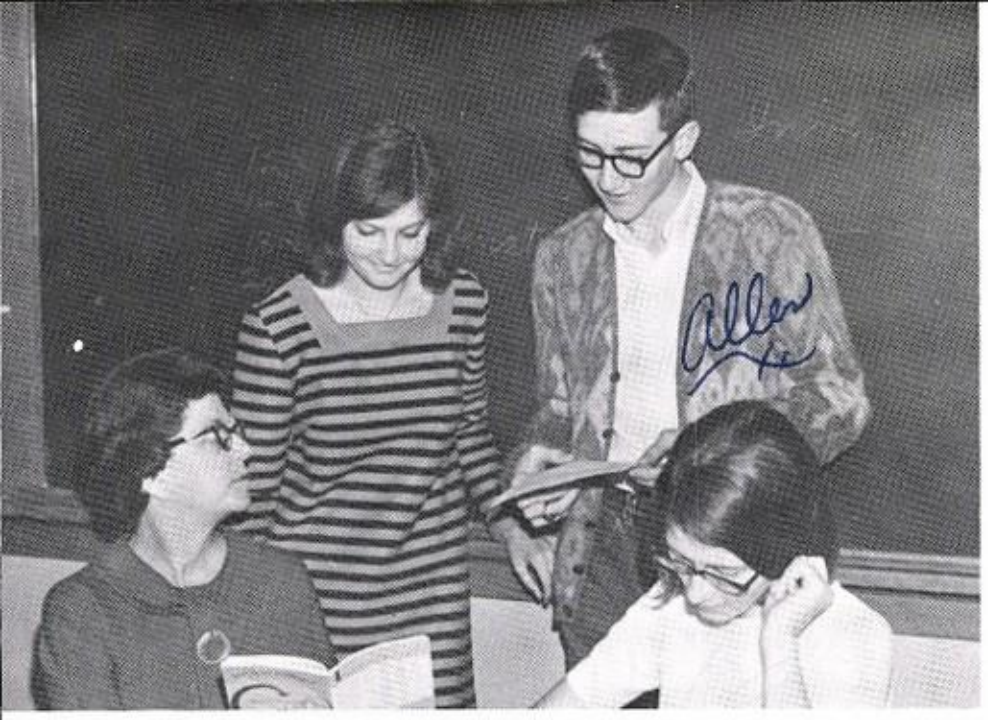
The Seniors are having a great time awaiting the Senior Carnival.

The fourth period Speech II class provided Christmas entertainment with their production of "The Seven Gifts."

Mr. Forester, I told you that was the wrong box!

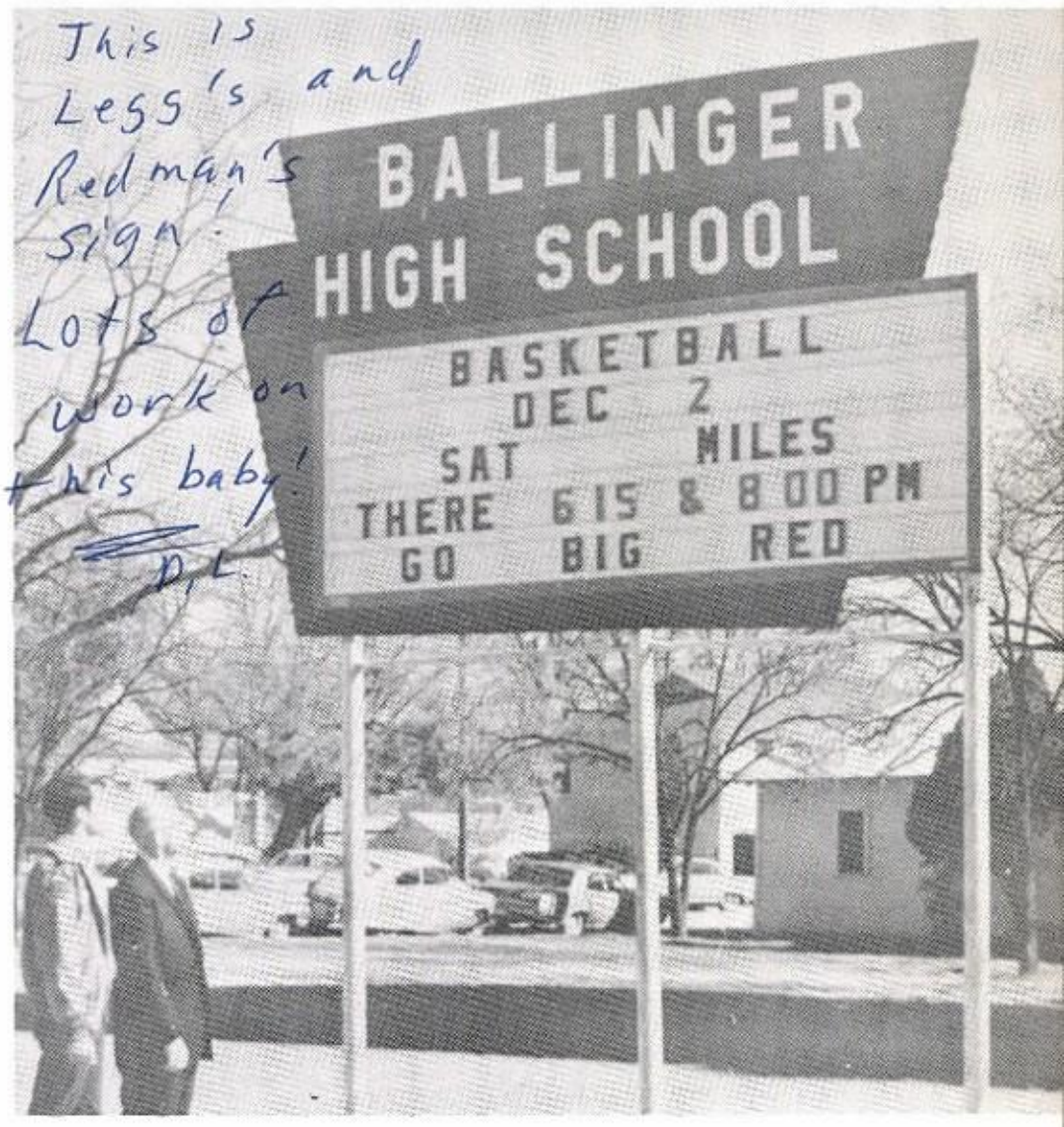
Reading training helps, doesn't it Elaine?





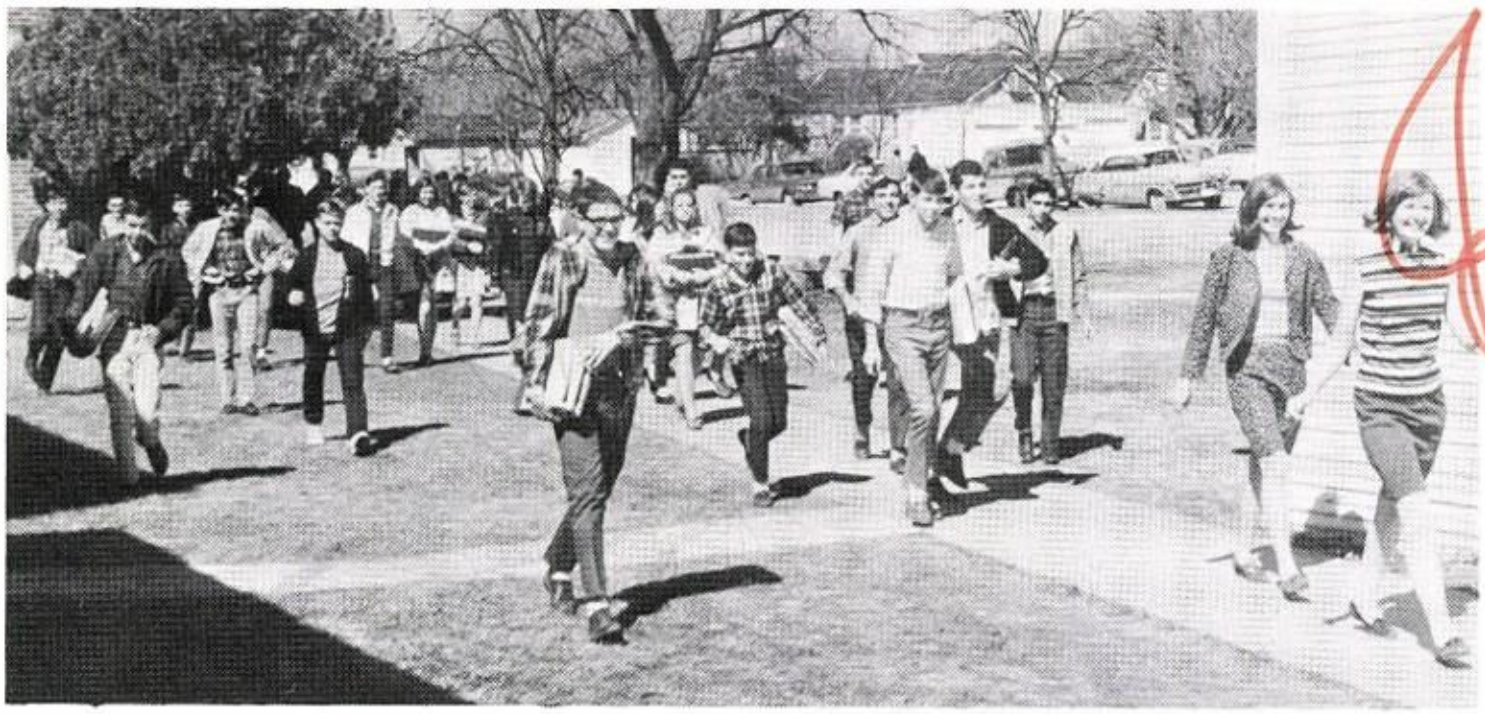
Mrs. Selby counsels with these Seniors about their future education.

This sign was donated to B. H. S. from the Seniors of 1967.



Quarterback Club President, Bill Sykes, presents a plaque to Dr. Eoff for his past service to the Bearcats in filming their games.

The choir furnished entertainment before the annual coronation.



"Remember pals, don't start running until we get past the teachers!"

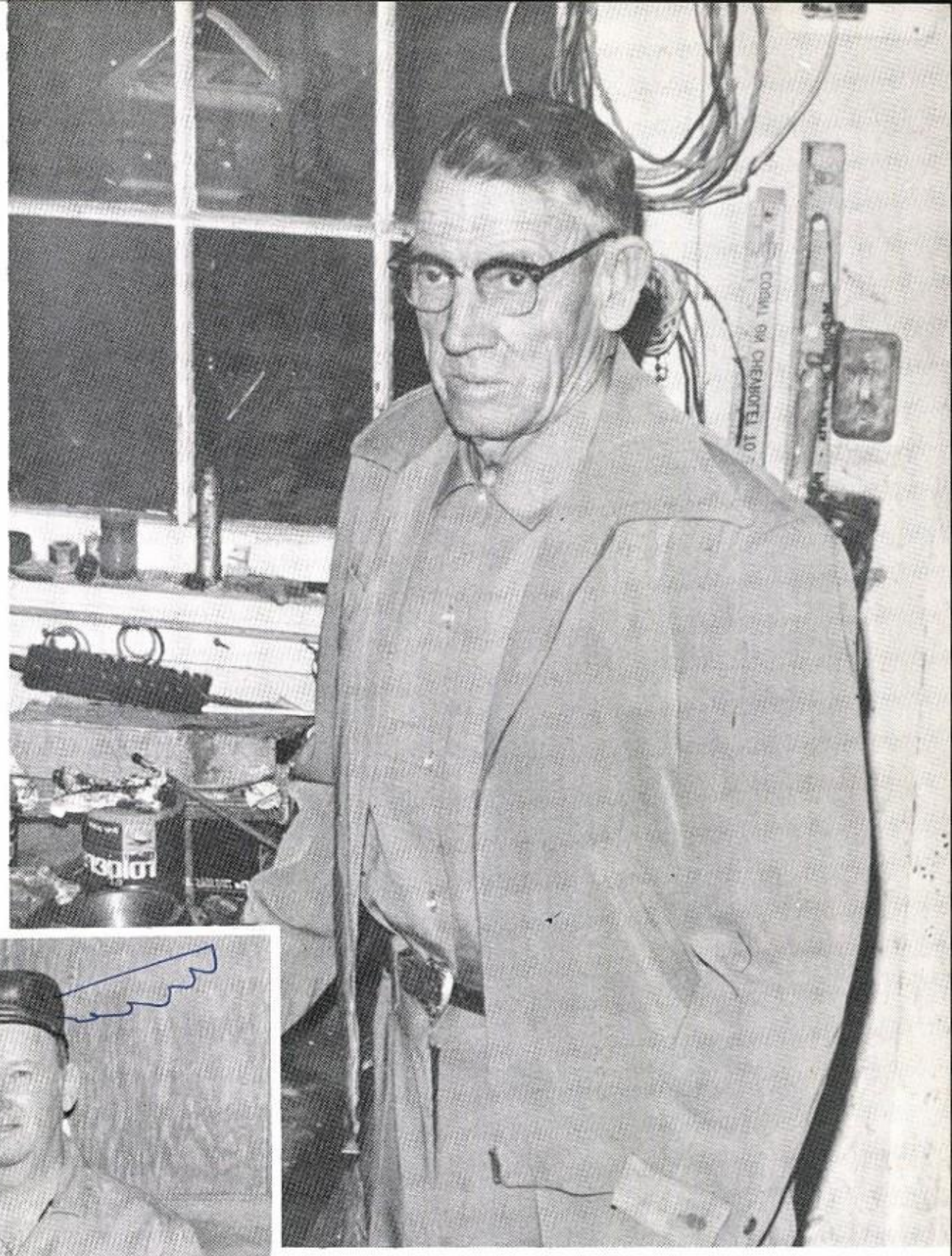
"Now that's what we call a bunch of happy boys!"

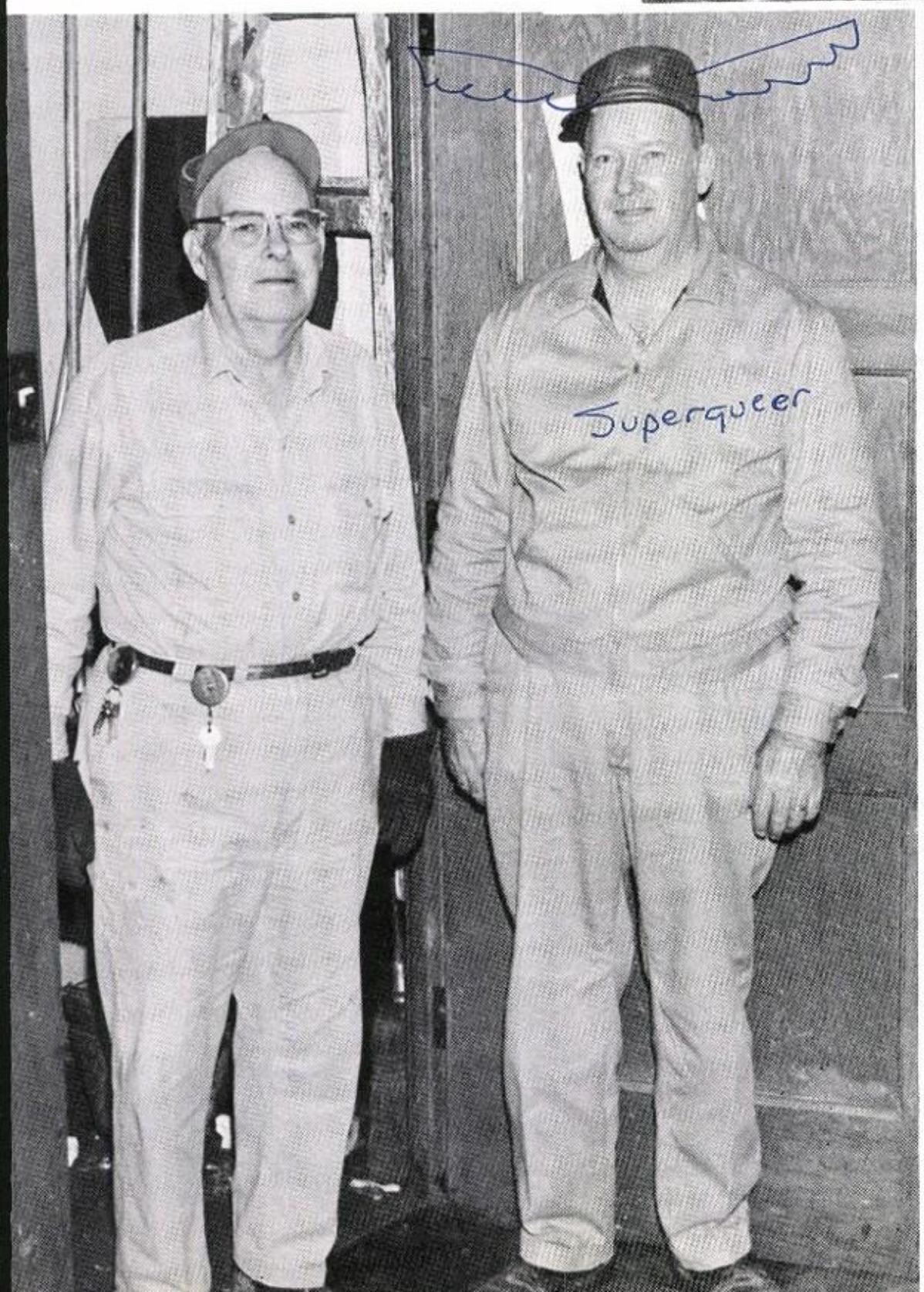
"Well you have to admit, B. H. S. can kill a case of cokes pretty fast!"

"Now about the students request for a two hour lunch break. . ."

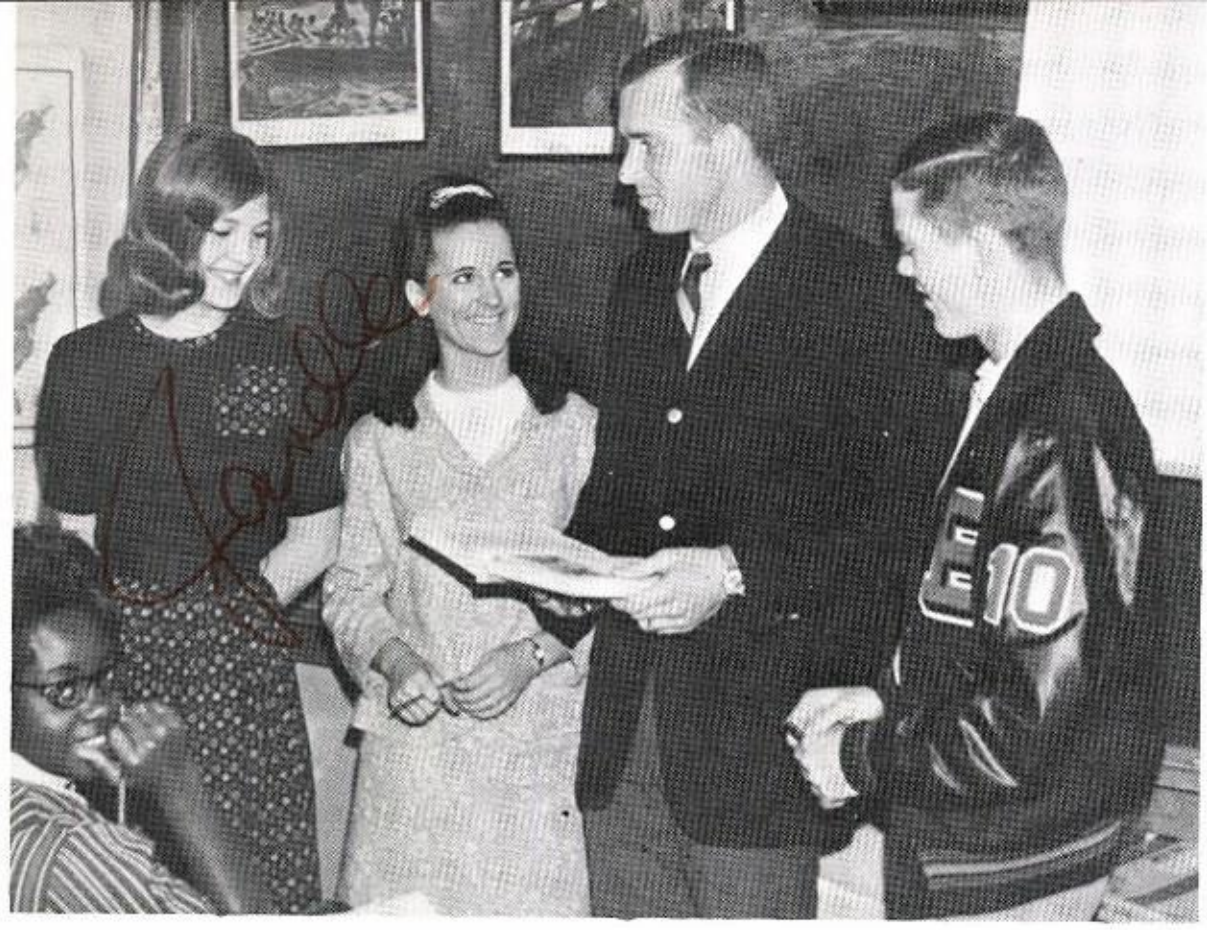
 Come on Mr. Forester - SMILE - Santa had to be better than that!

The students of Ballinger High School appreciate the many efforts Mr. I. V. Turner has put forth the past twenty-two years. His work on band trips as a driver has been of great assistance to the students of B. H. S. We the students wish to thank him for his patronage.



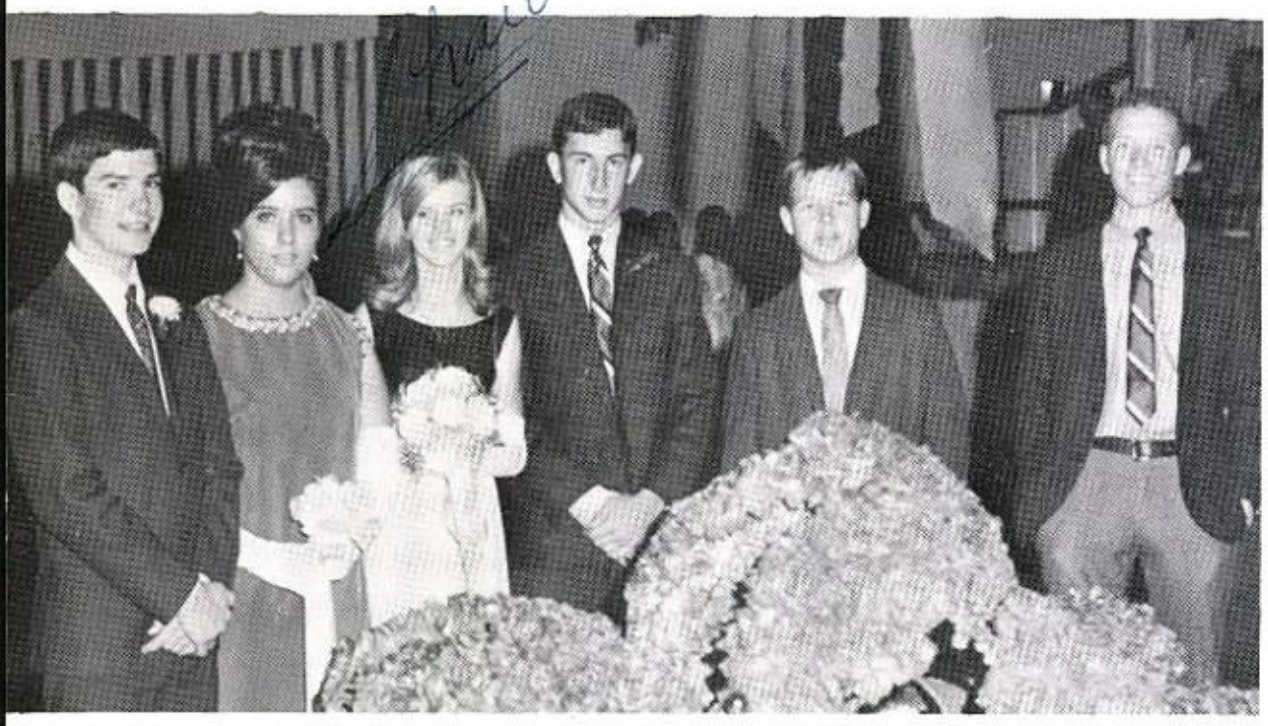


Mr. Roy Gamble and Mr. Frank Borders have enthusiastically carried out their responsibilities of keeping our campus and school neat and clean. They have been very co-operative with the faculty and student body. We give them our sincere thanks.

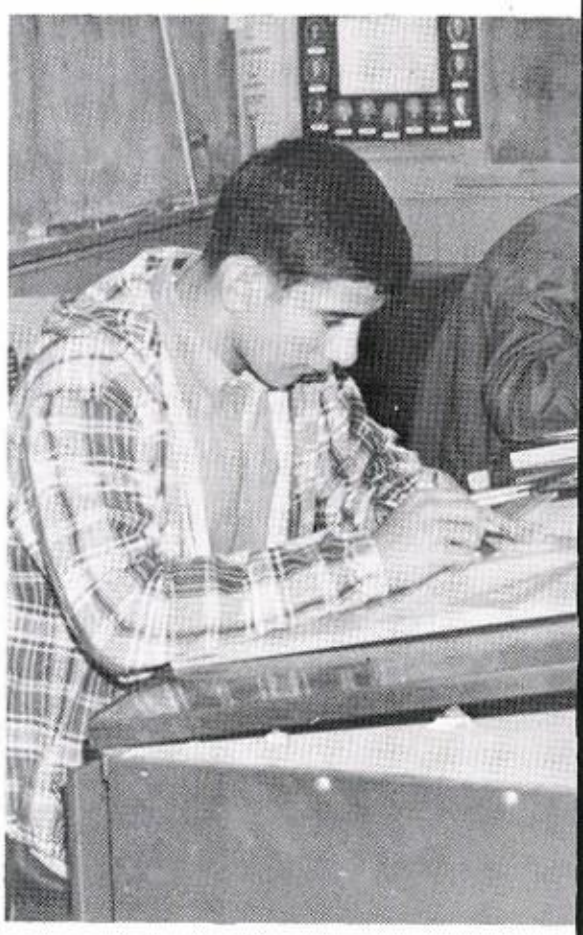


Students, didn't I tell your class that flattery doesn't help?

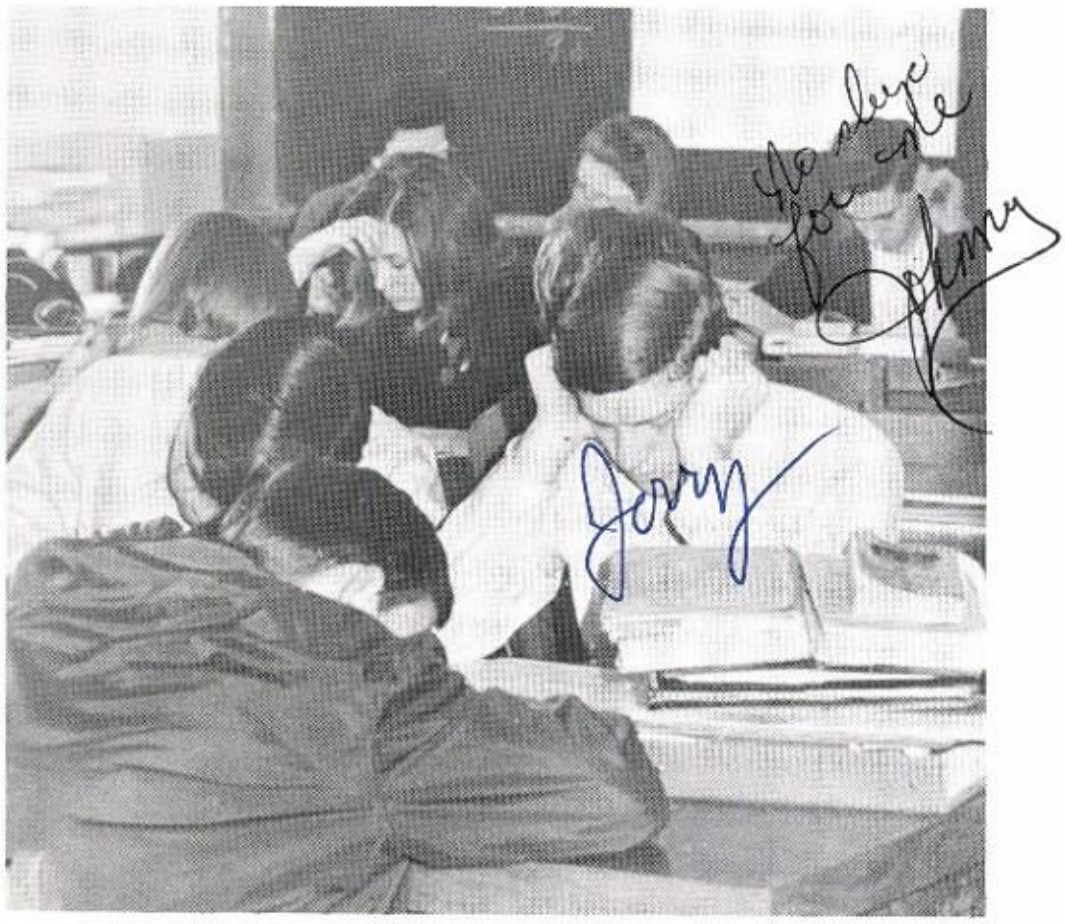
It does pay to be intelligent!



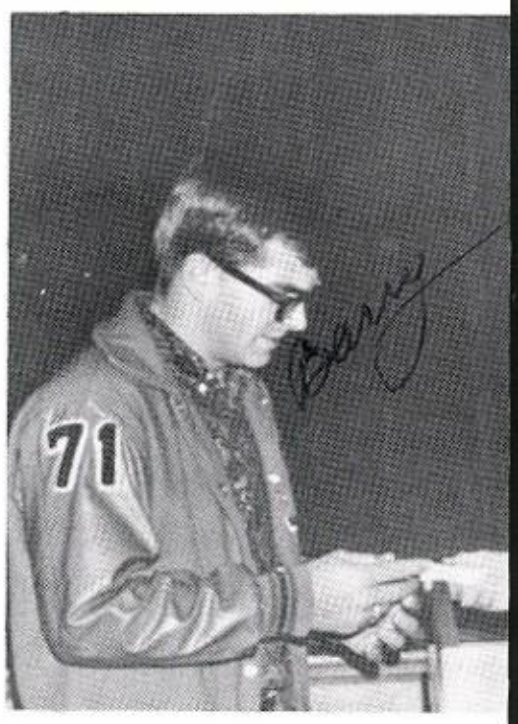
David Parrish, Mark Travis, Roy Brown, and Kent Isbell worked long hours helping the PAW PRINTS Staff decorate for the Coronation.



Well it looks like Mr. Traweek his new doghouse on his own



"Oh, Lullaby and goodnight. . ."



Oh just what I always

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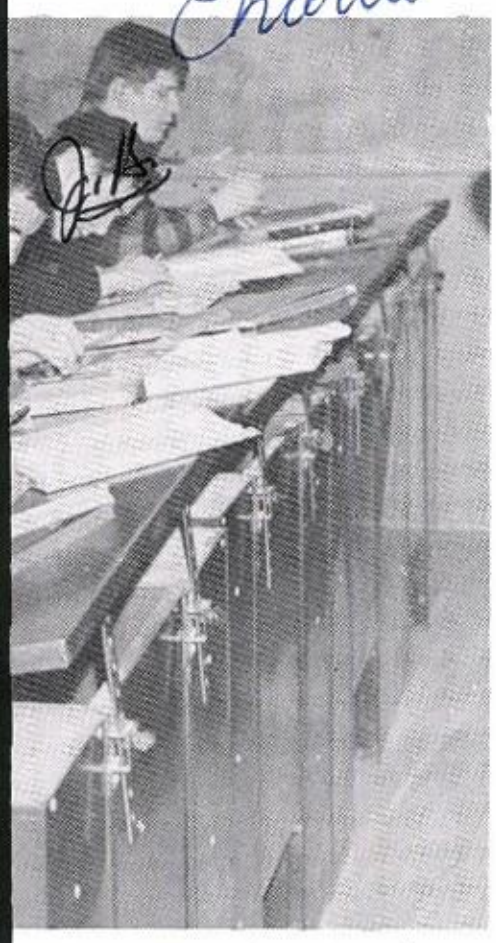

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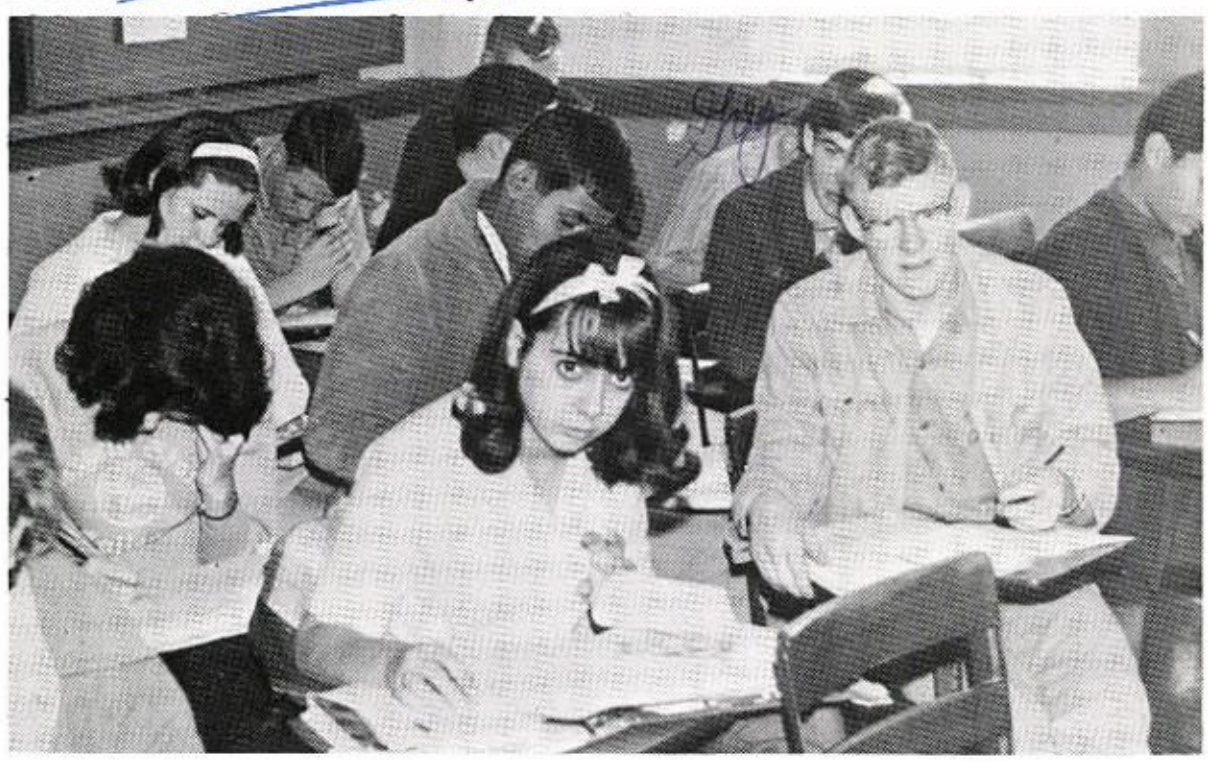
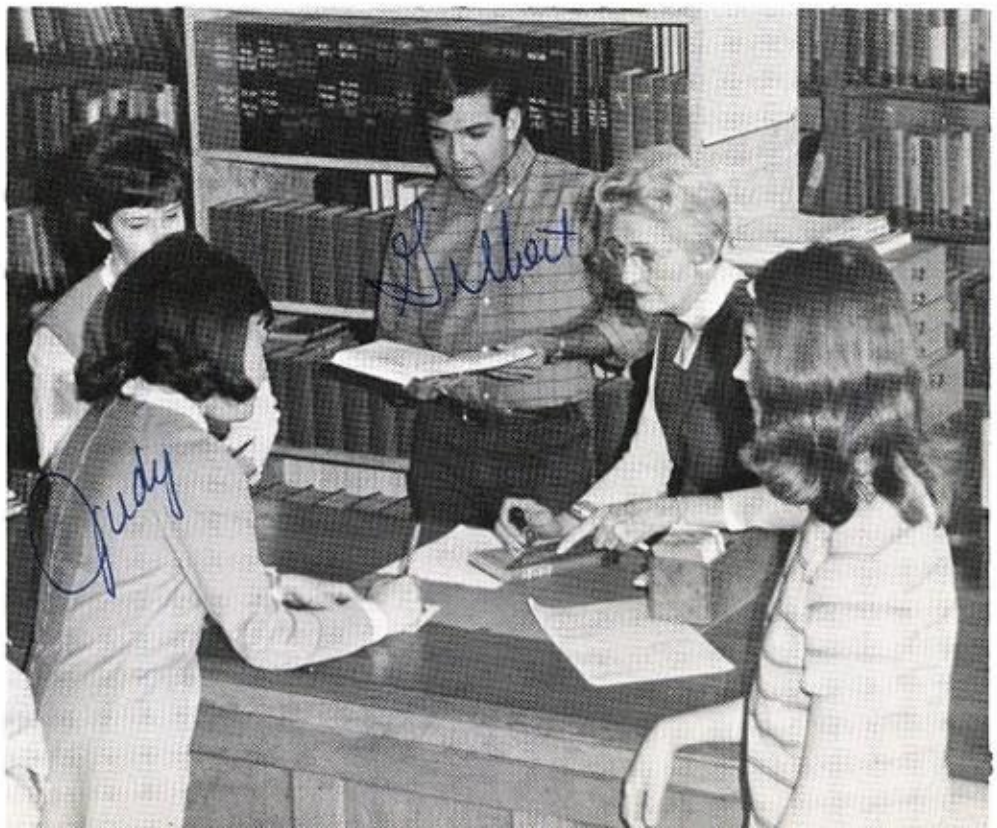


"Now look, who said we weren't studying?"

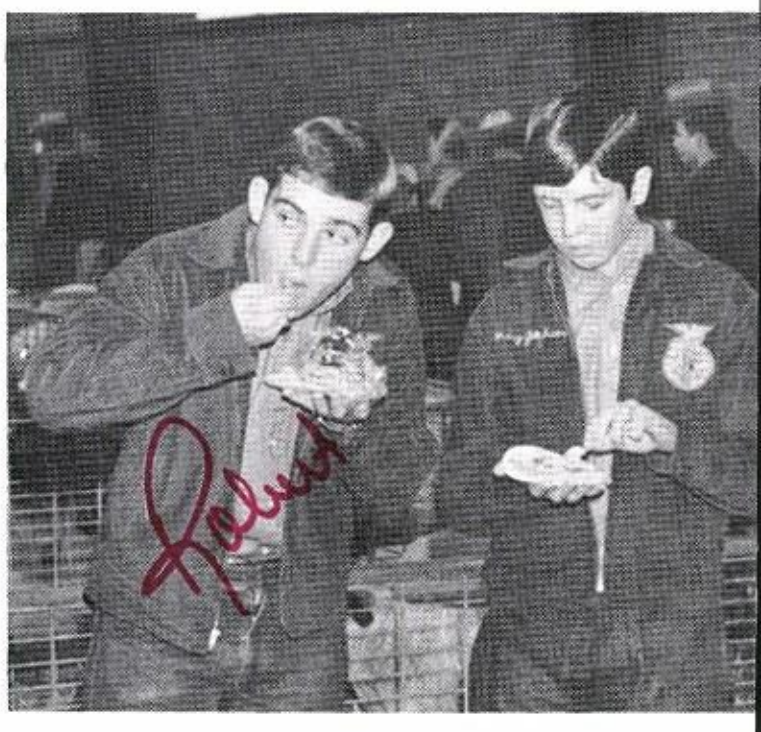
anted.

"I don't care if you are in a hurry Judy, sign the book-card please."

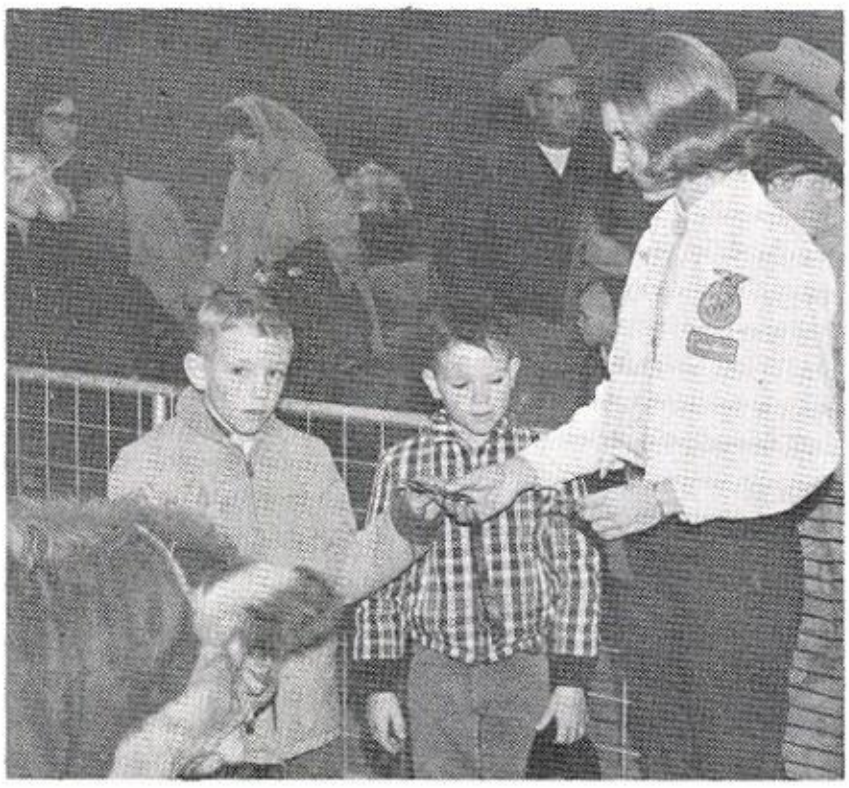


Watch it, Gary! Don't cut Mr. Kiesling's hand.

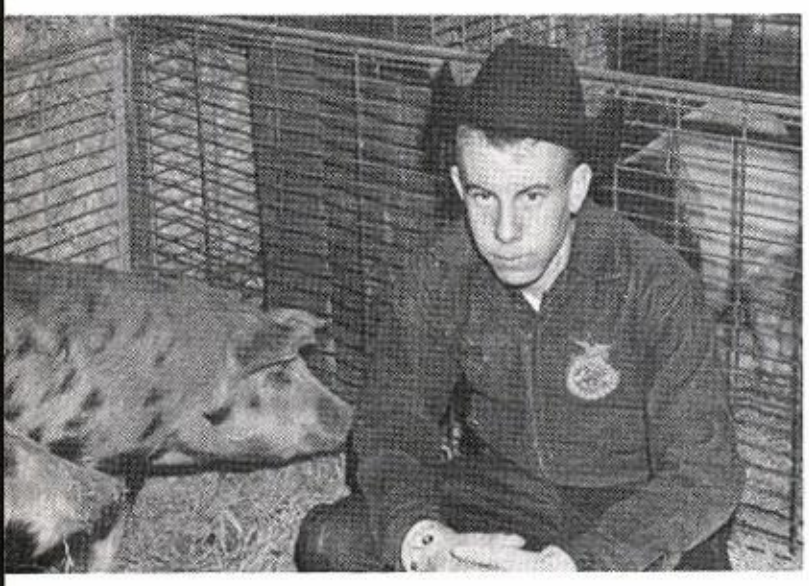
These are members of the Young Farmers who helped at the Livestoc Show: Ed Moonen - General Superintendent, Alvin Spring - Assistar Superintendent, Bob Vancil - Treasurer.



Robert and Tommy would never have survive the livestock show, if it had not been for the concession stand.

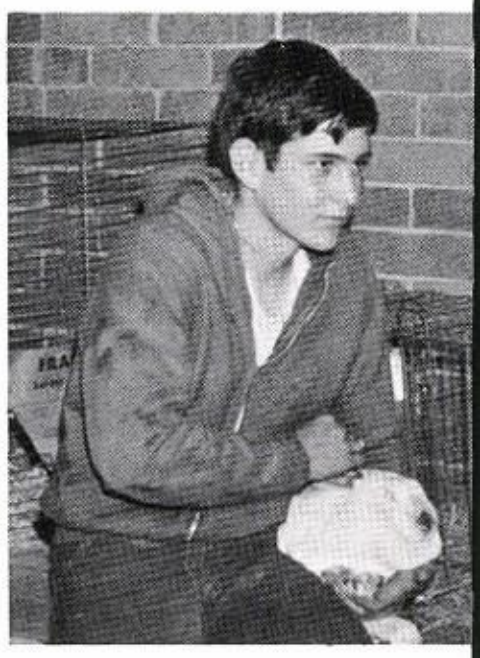


Lind Buxkemper presents Grand Champion and First Place ribbons to two anxiously waiting boys.



Mike Belcher won recognition for his Champion Pen of Commercial pigs.

Scott McWilliams received honor with his Champion Pen of Commercial lambs.



Jimmy Hash placed a Reserv Champion on his rabbit.

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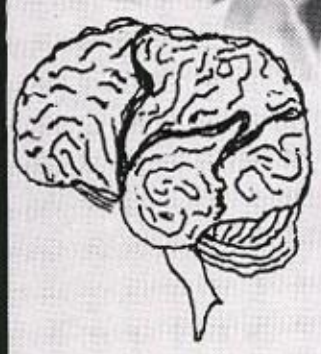
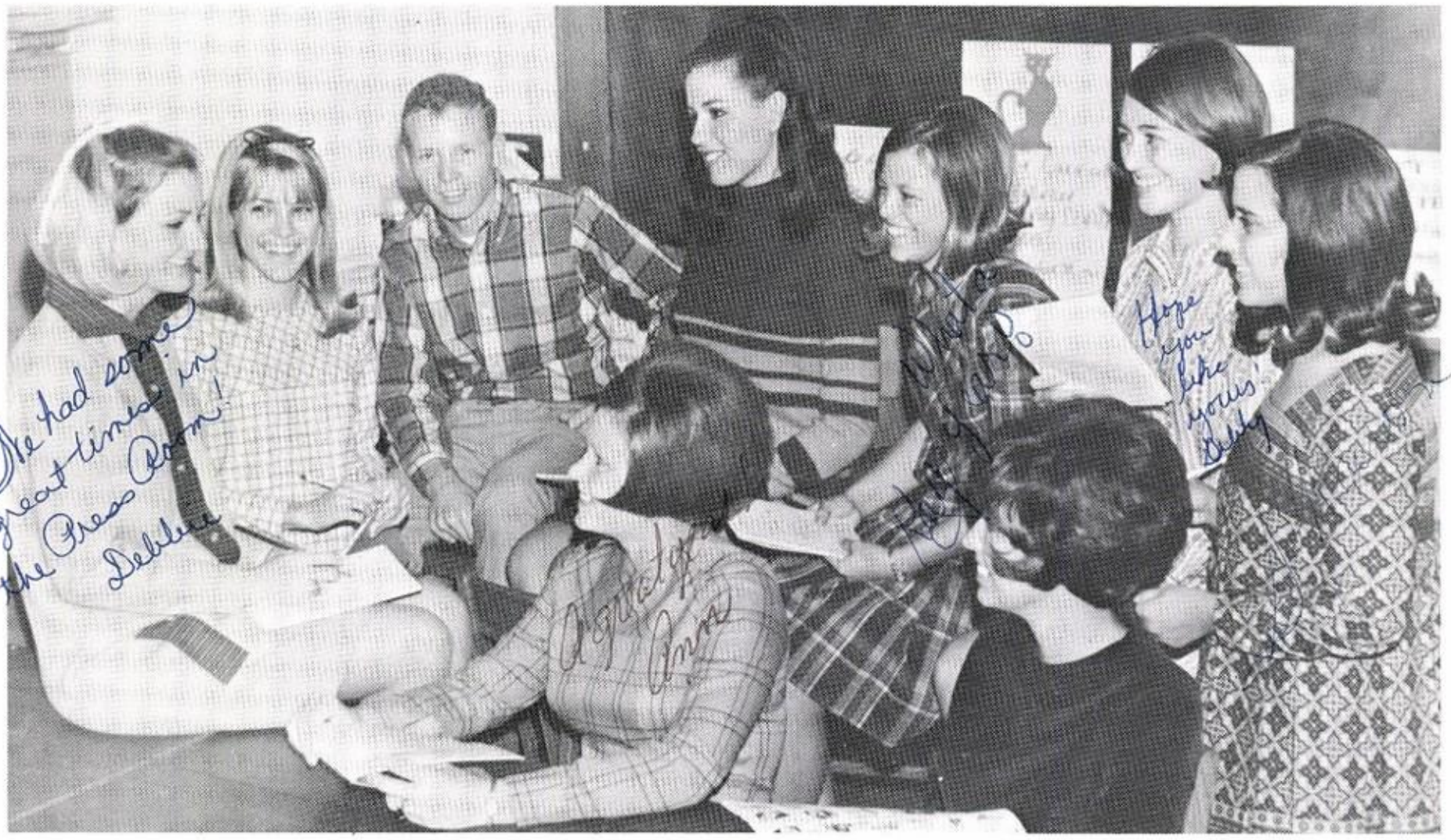


There is no way we can tell what man's brain will produce next. Things that we have and do today seemed impossible a few years ago and what seems impossible today will come to reality sometime in the future. Though most of man's work is done by machines and computers we would not have these devices if it weren't for man's brain. Man's success depends of his ability to have good organization and teamwork.



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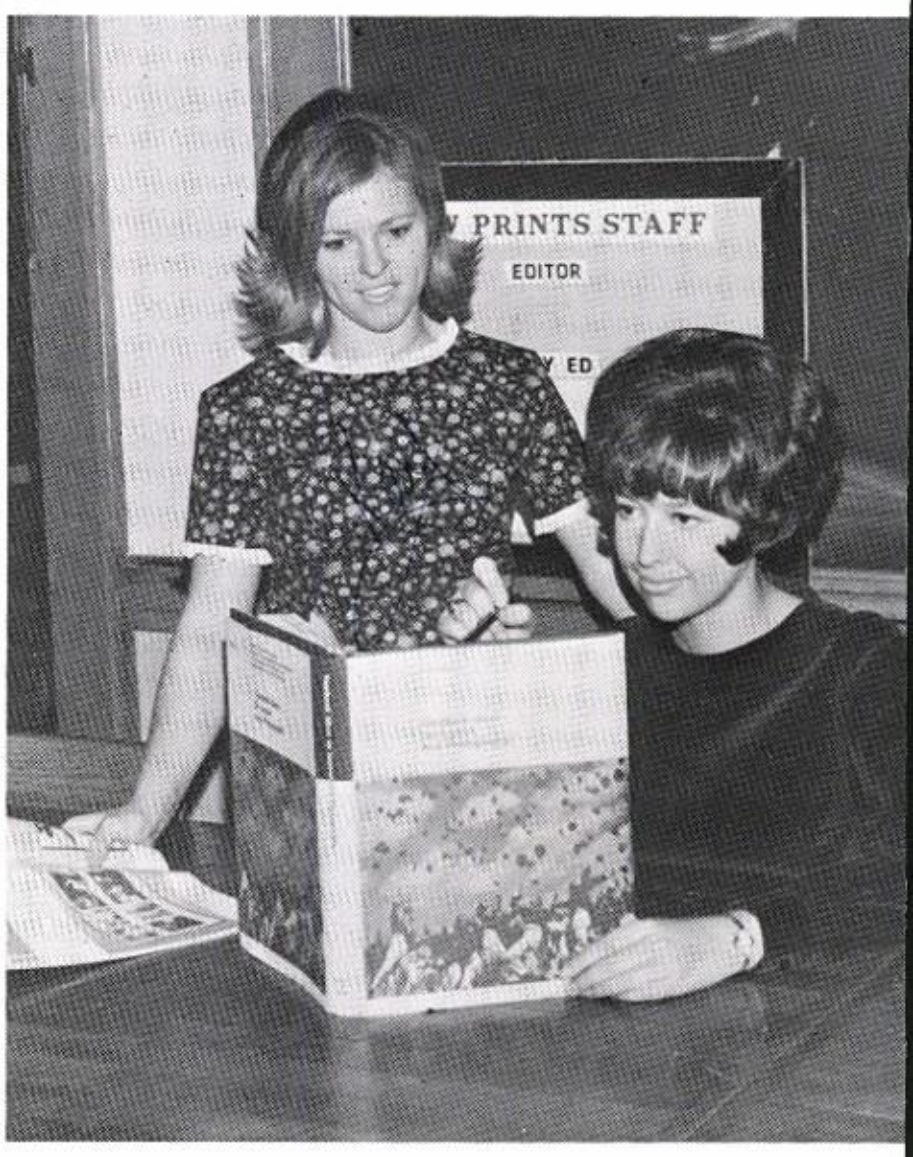

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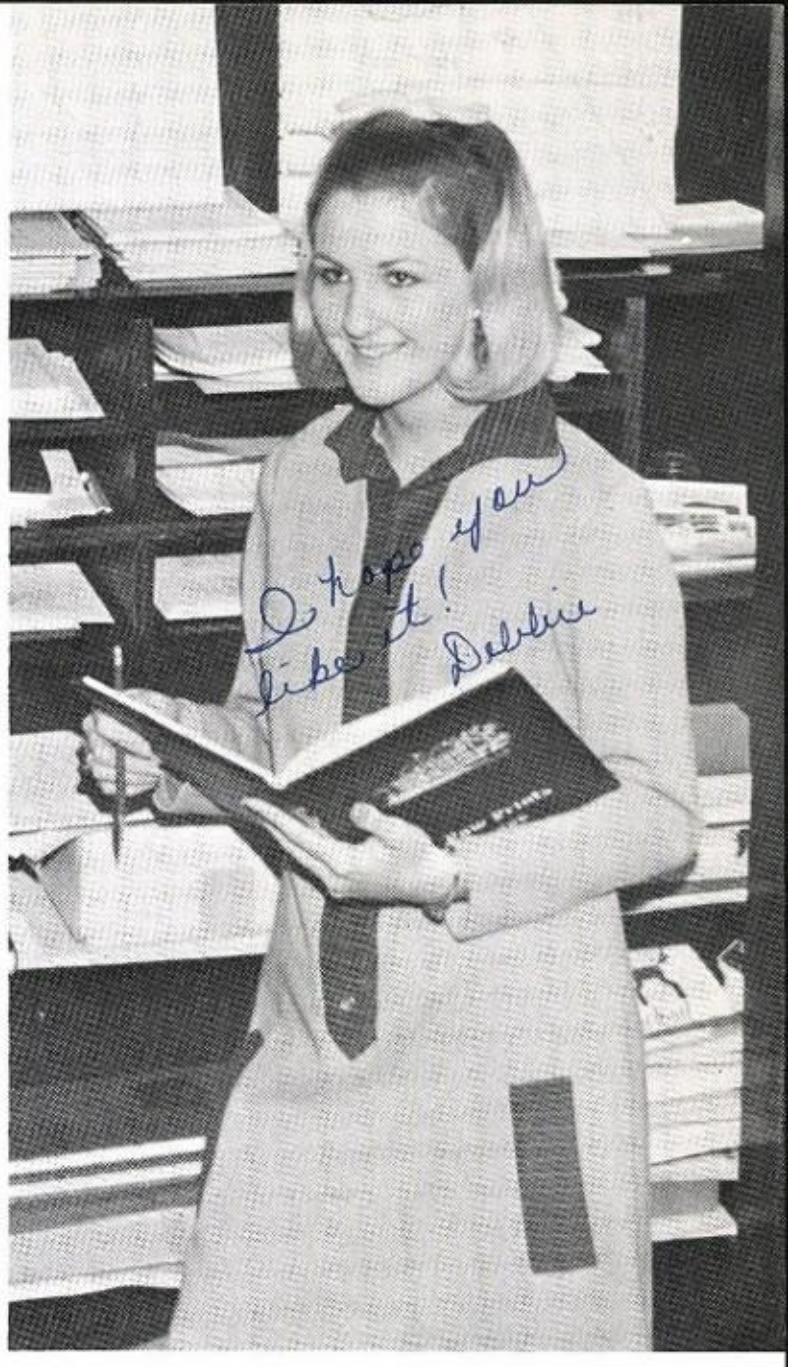

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This was truly the most fun that I have ever had!
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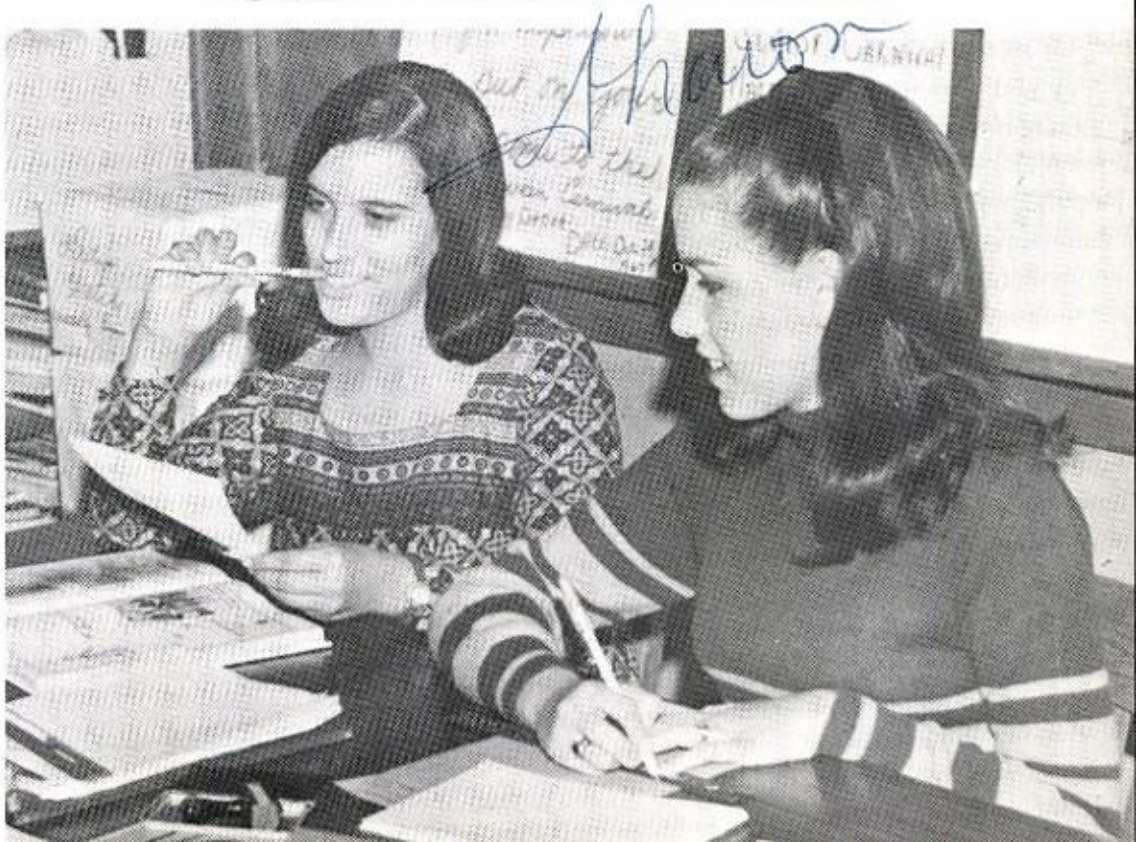

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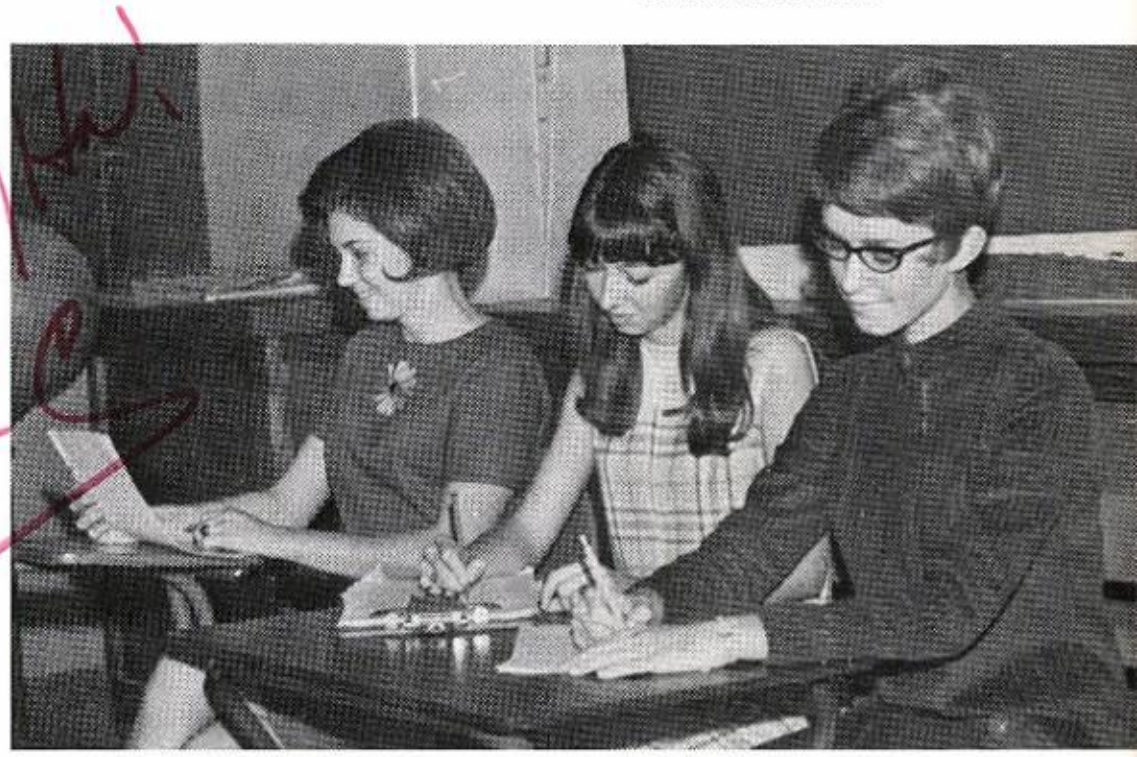

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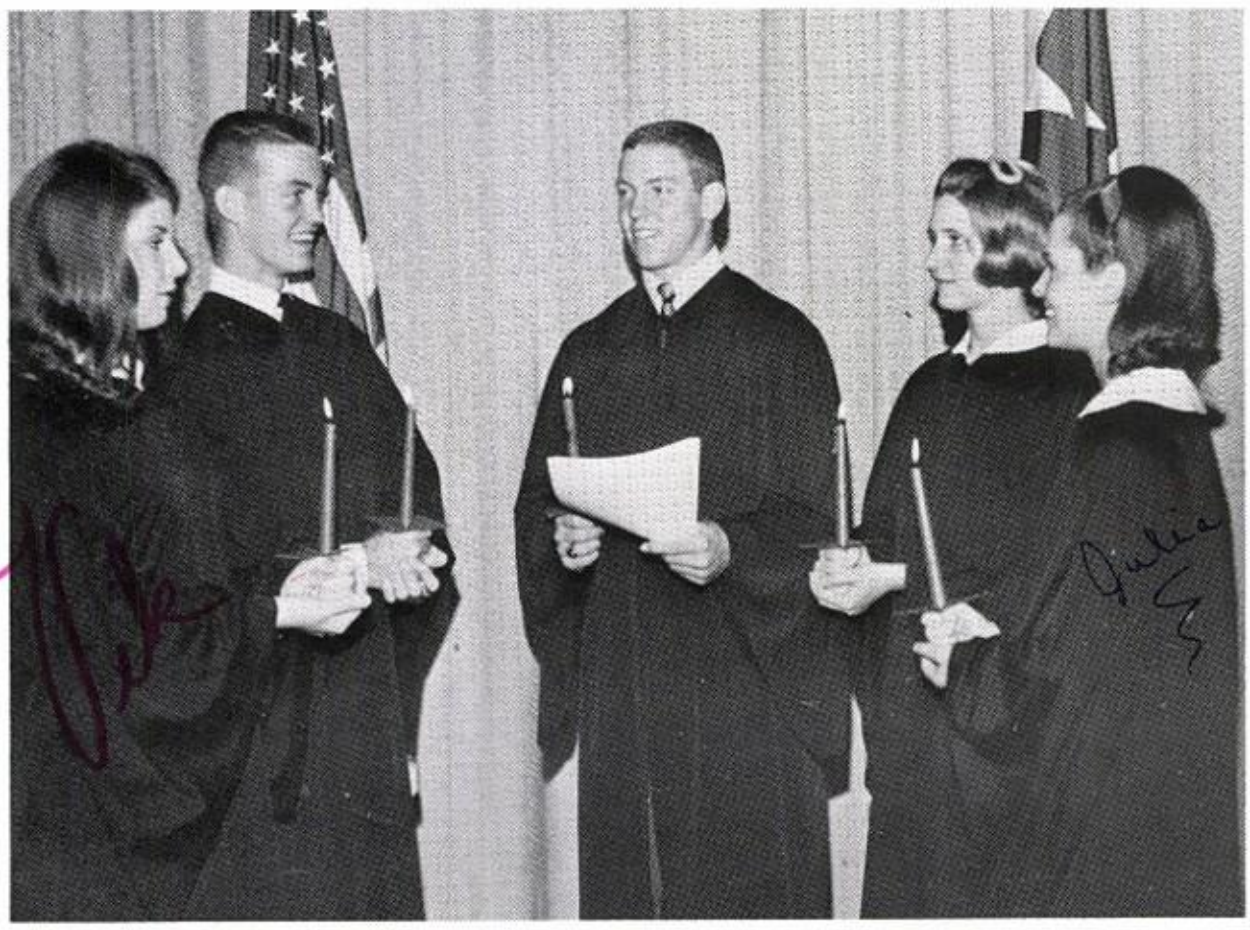

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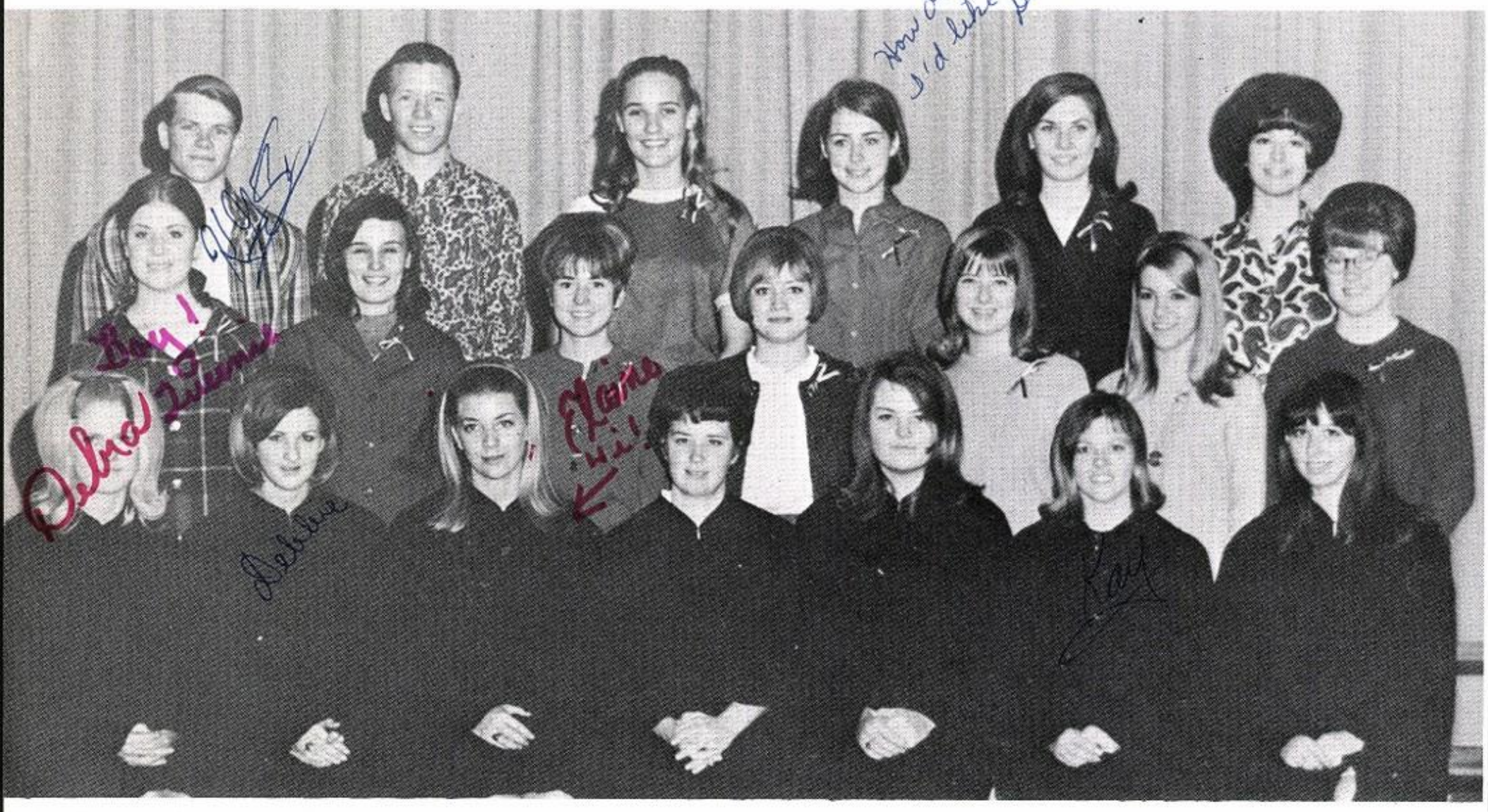

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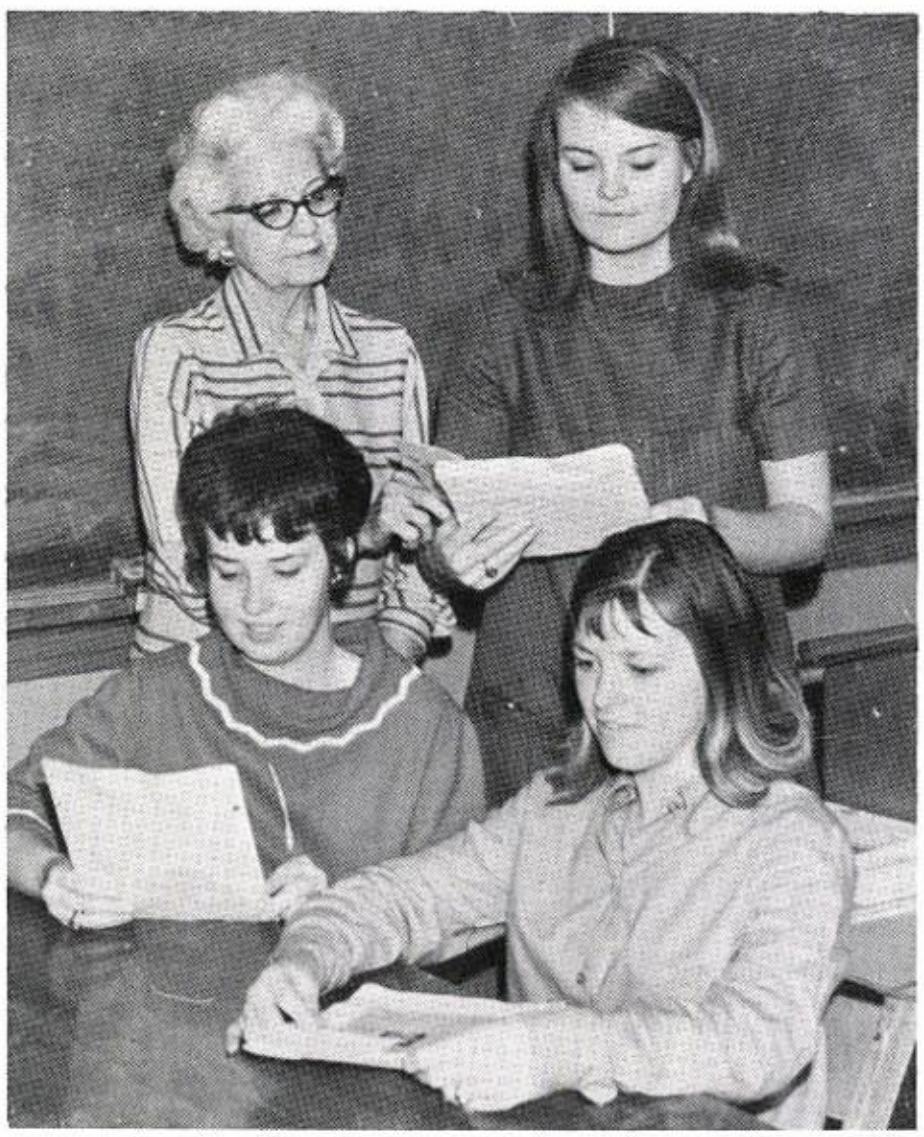

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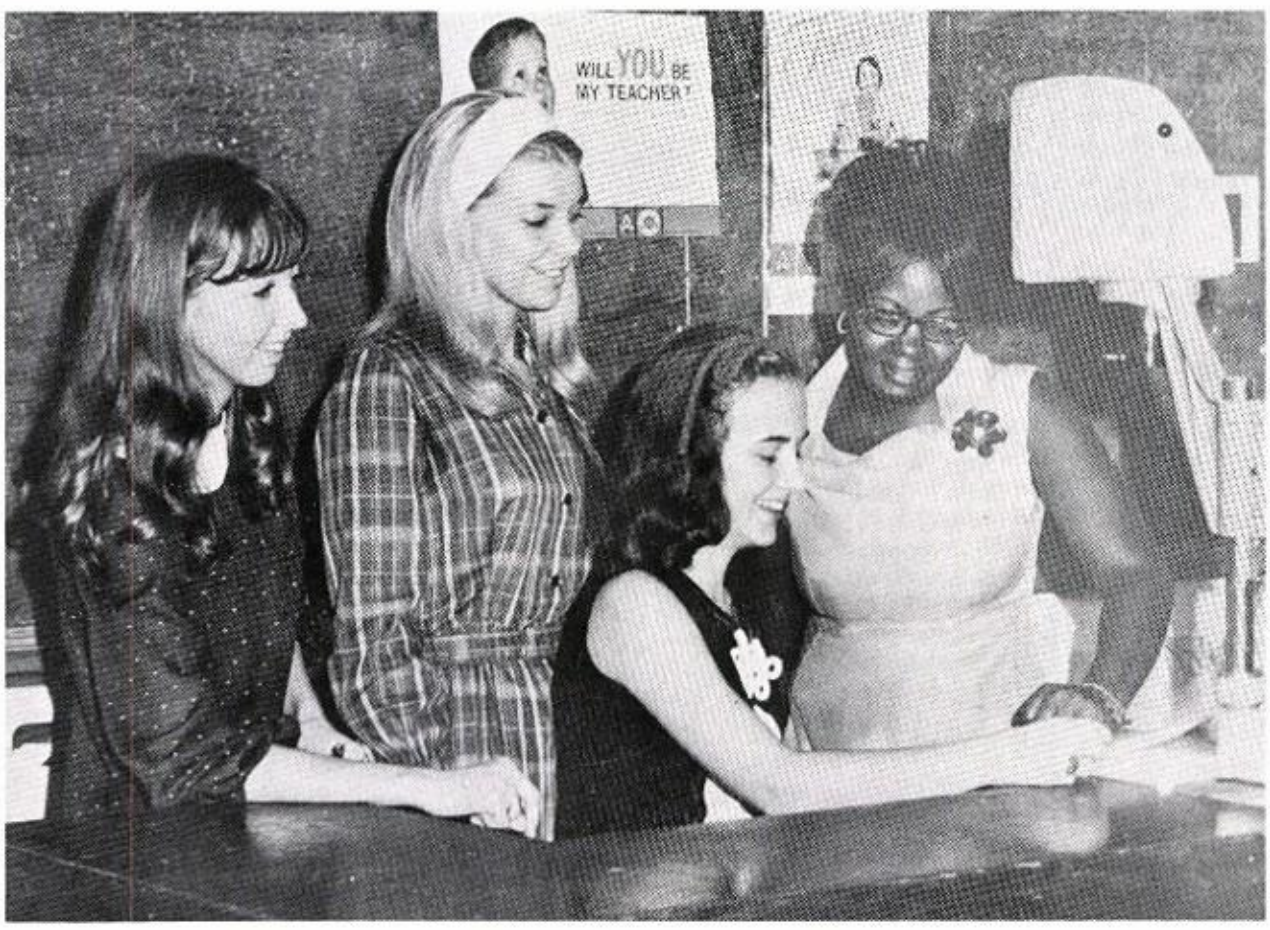

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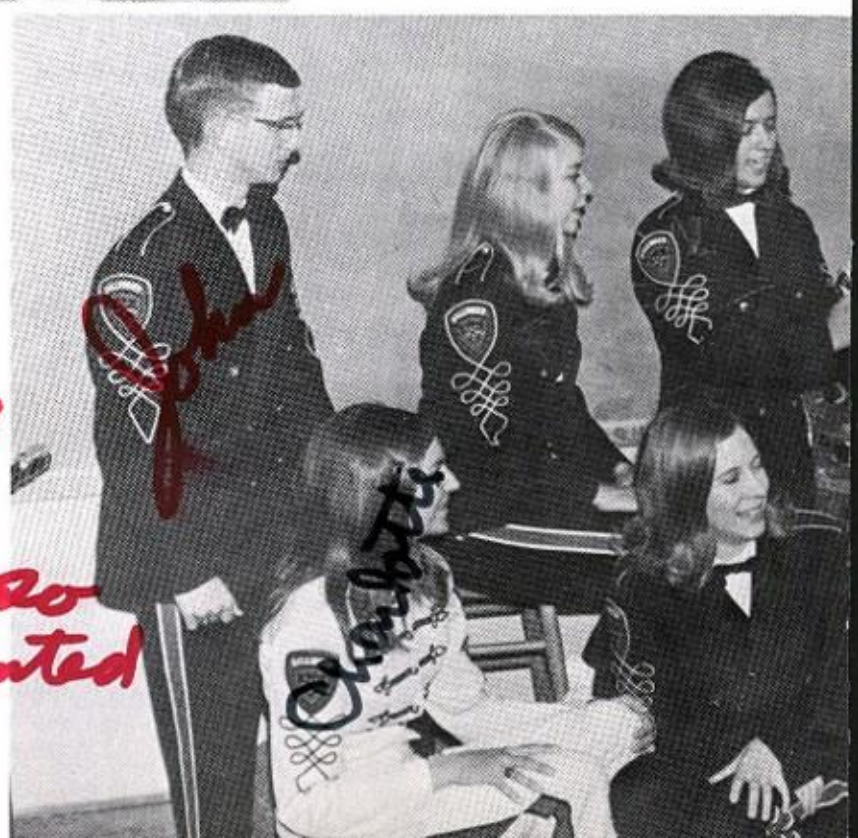
Martha,

It was great being your 1st lieutenant and keeping all those underclassmen in line. Sometimes I got so mad and disgusted I wanted to quit!

John



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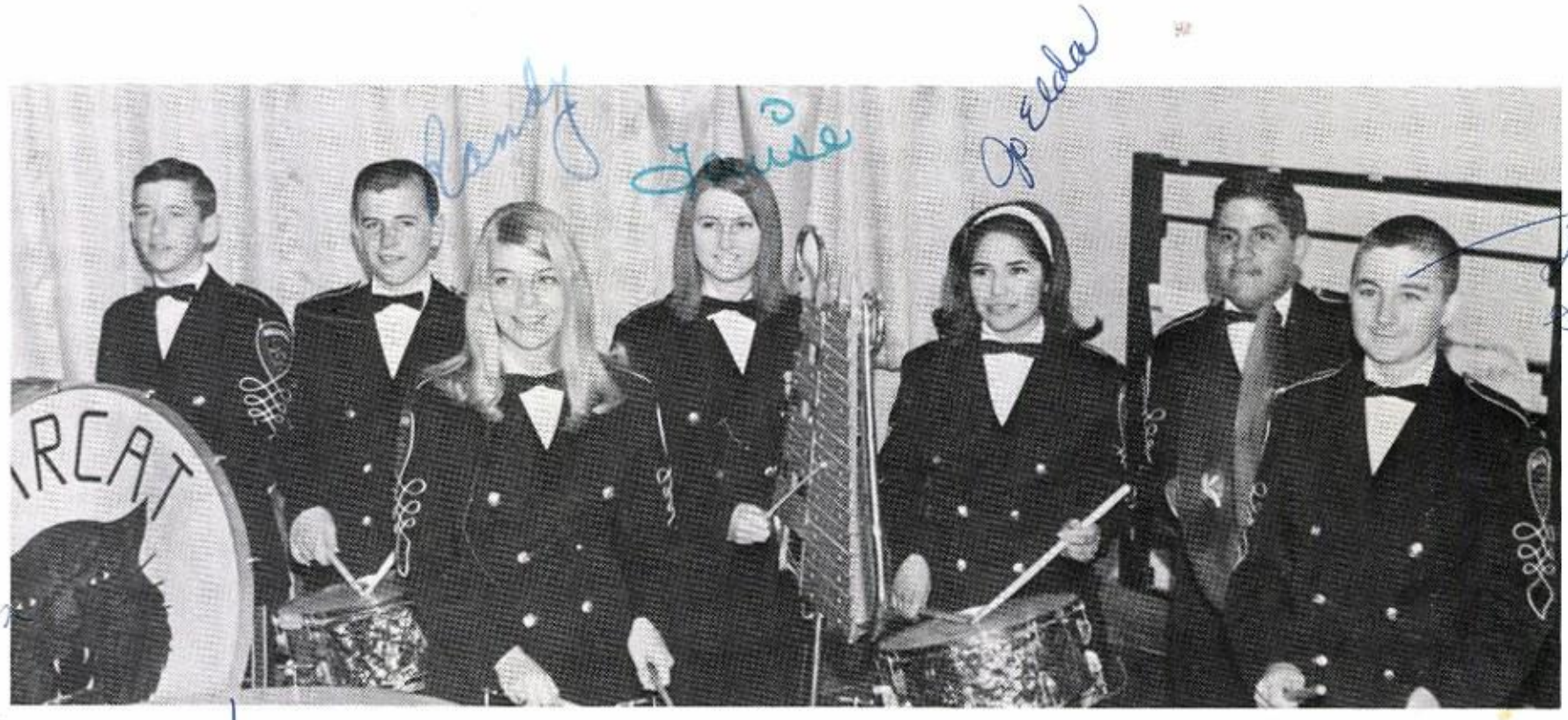

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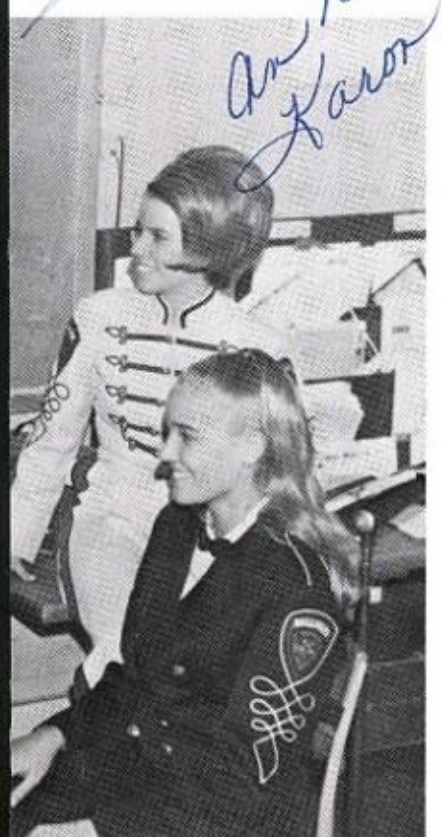

Martha,
It was a great honor to have you as Band Captain. Had lotsa fun our Senior Year, but it's gone.
Best always
Joe Fowler
Hookem Horns

Band Captain	Martha Witt
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2nd Lieutenant	Sharon Simmons
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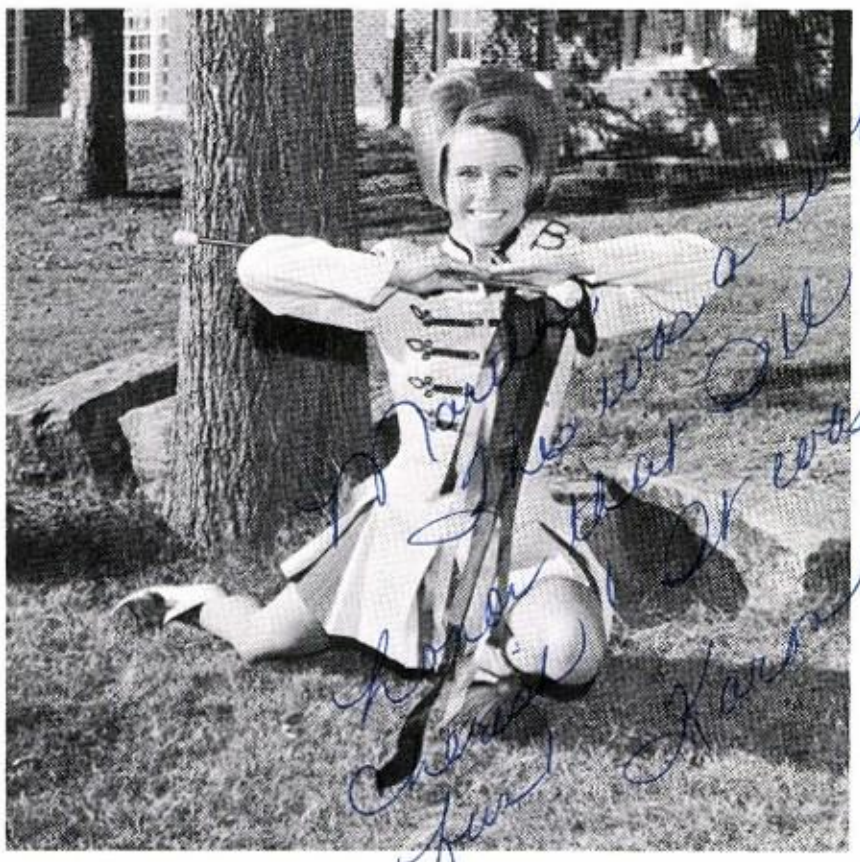

Karon Simmons - Twirler

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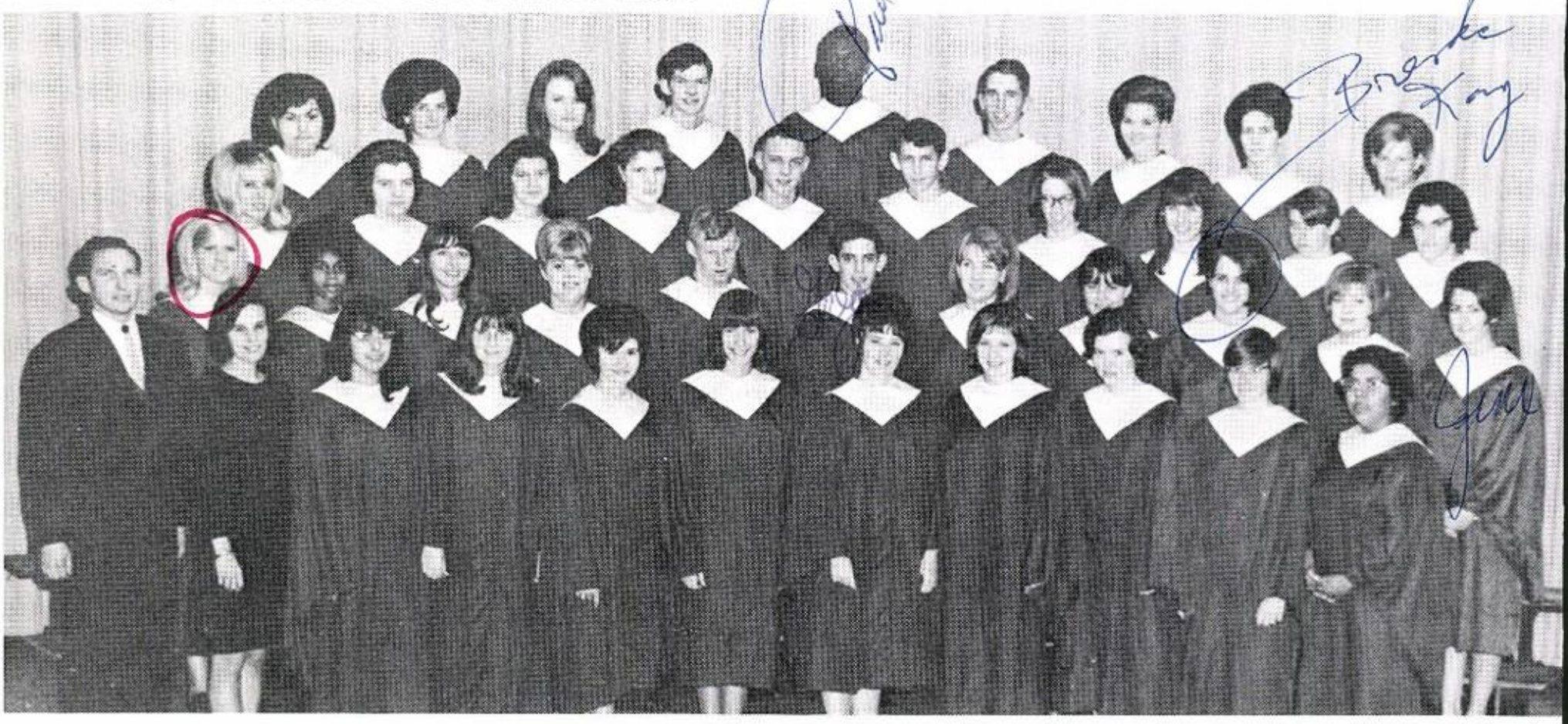

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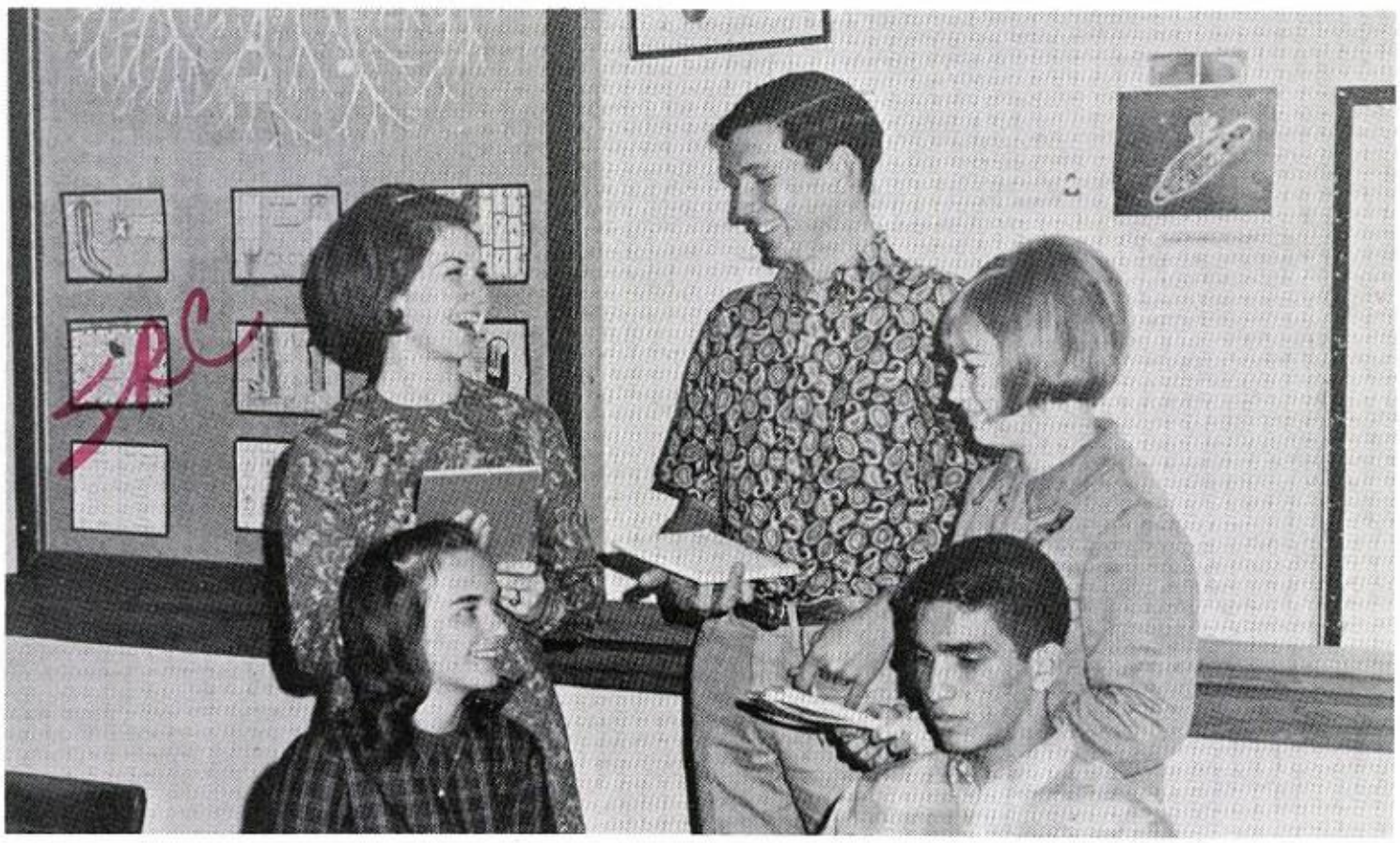

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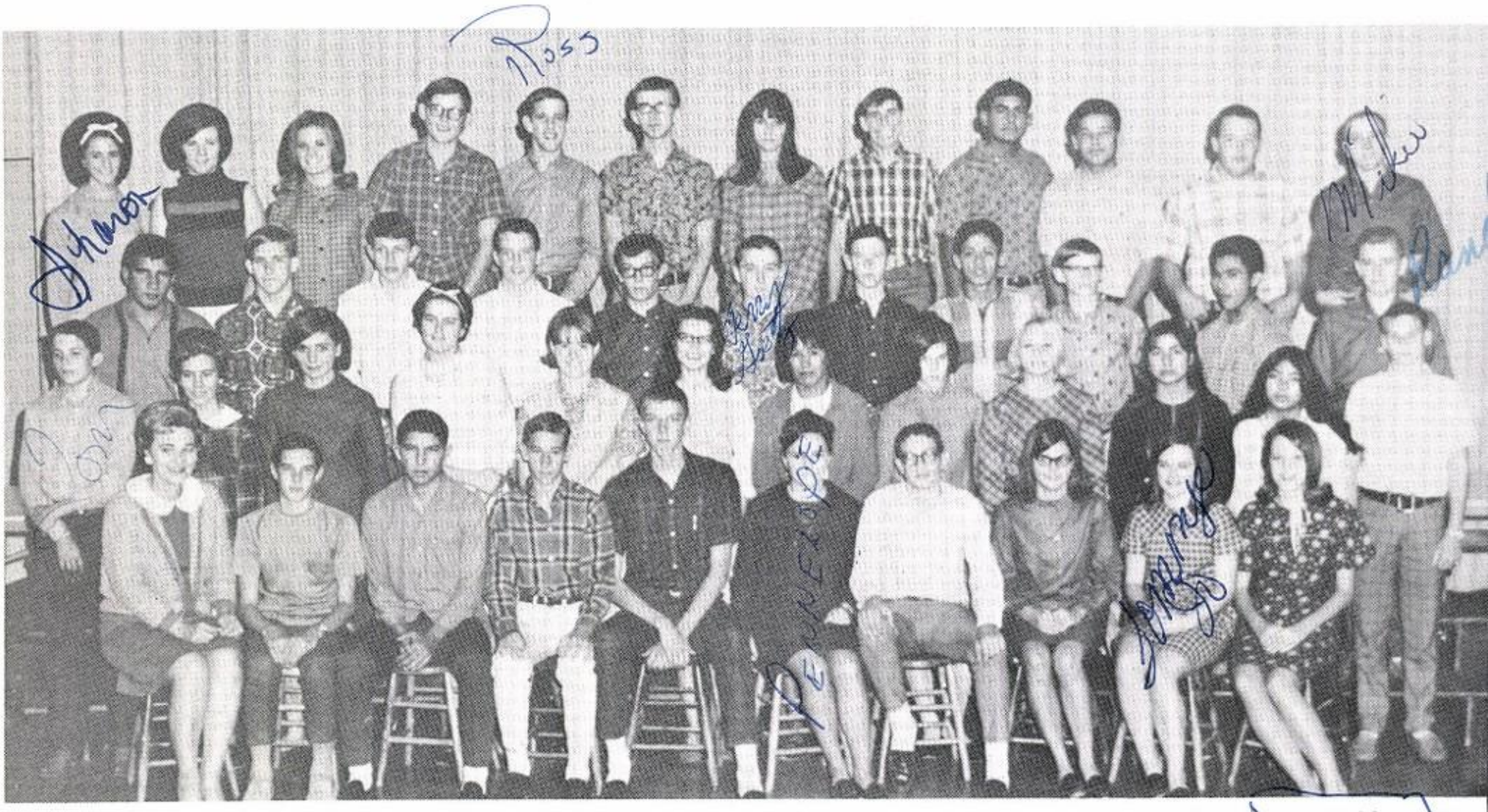

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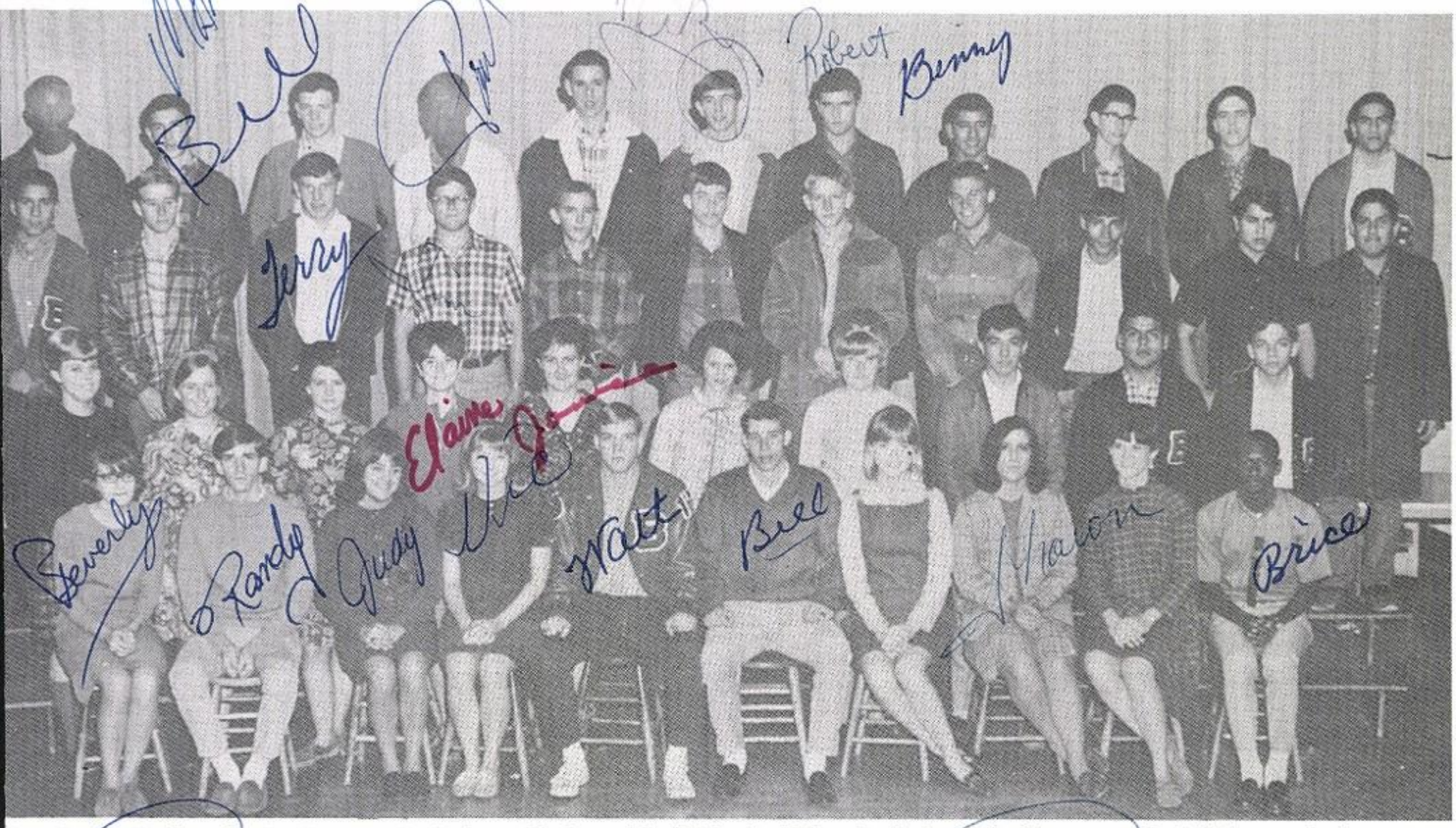

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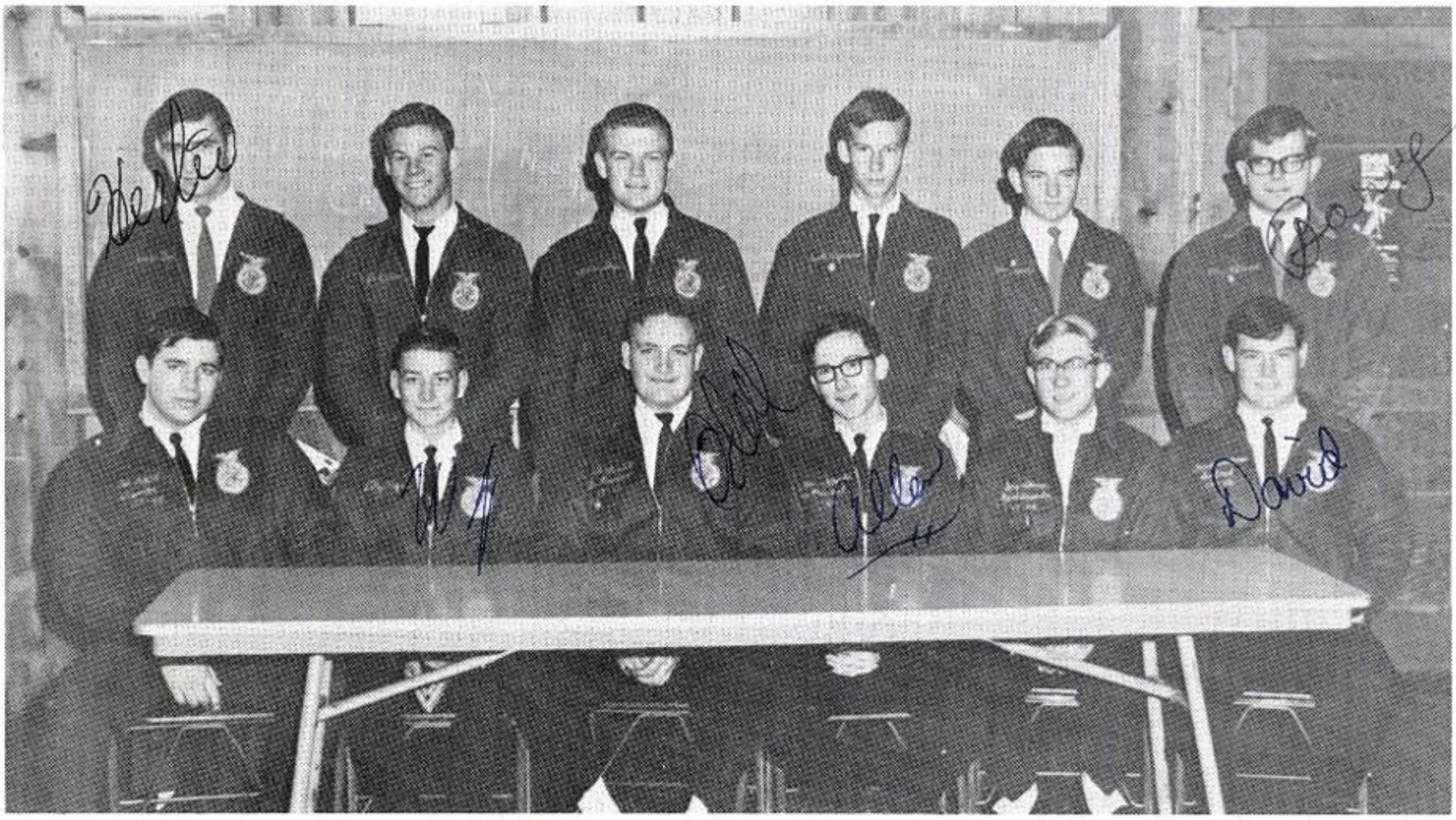

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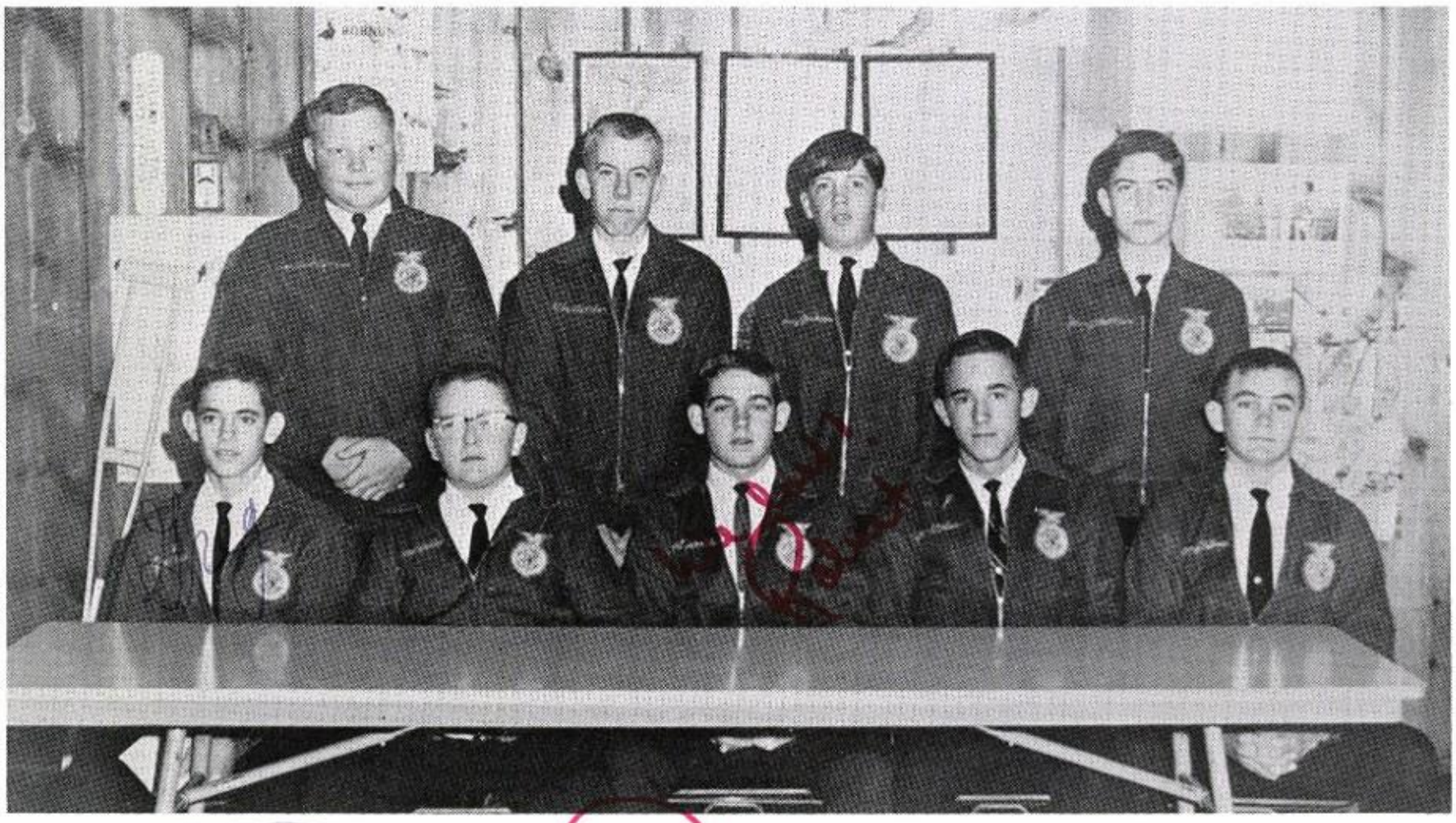

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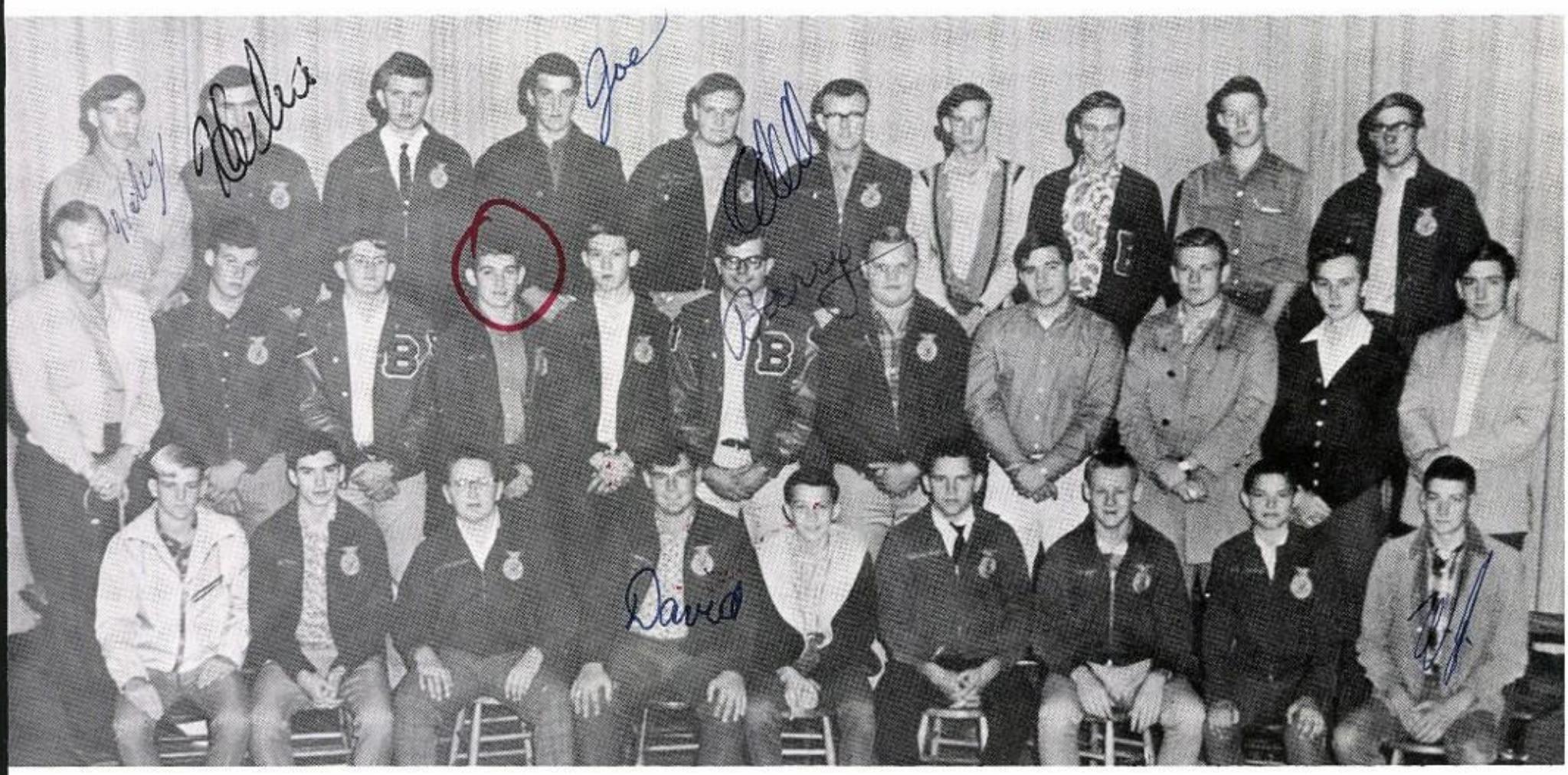

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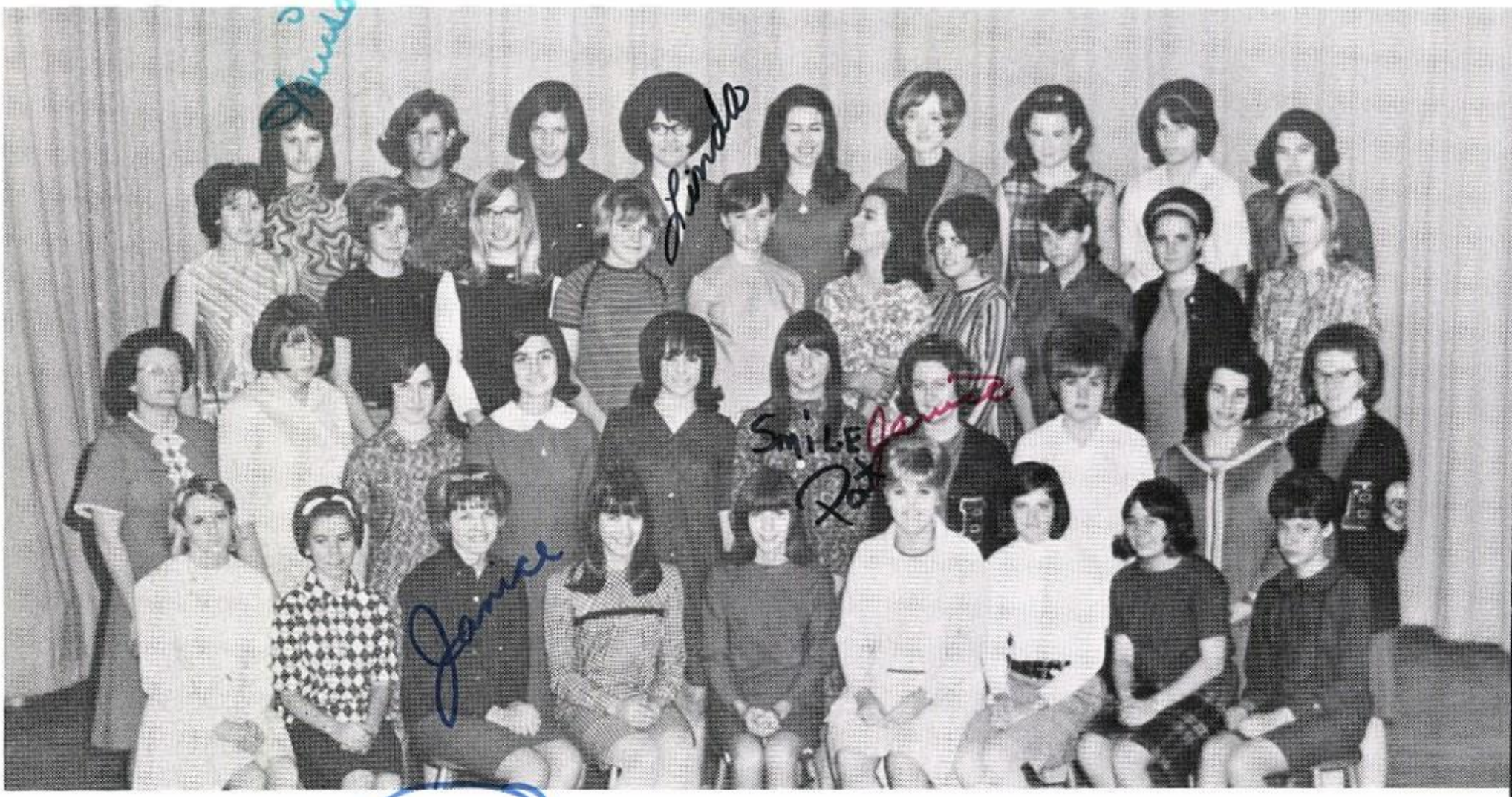

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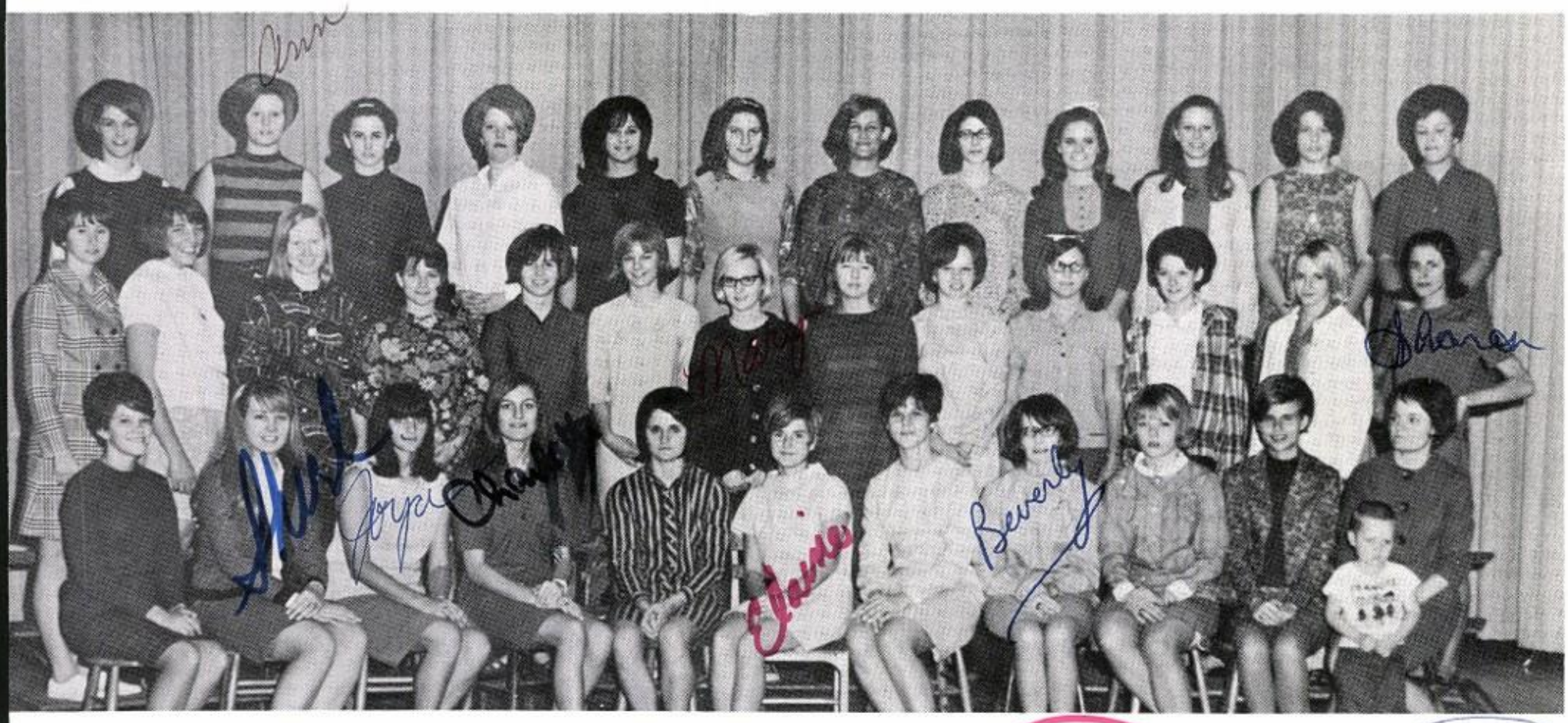

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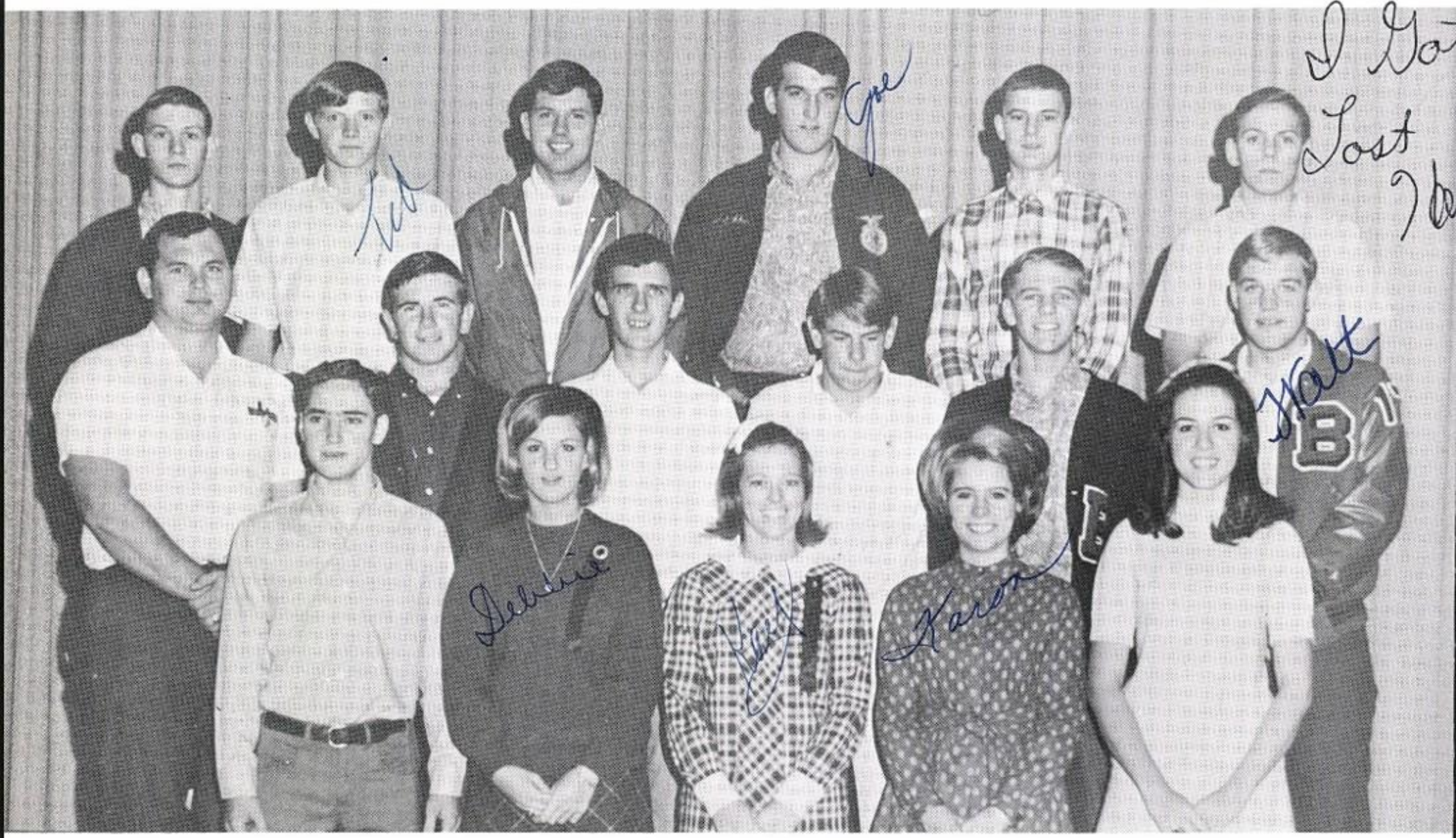

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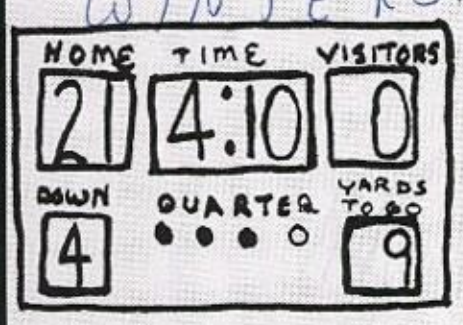
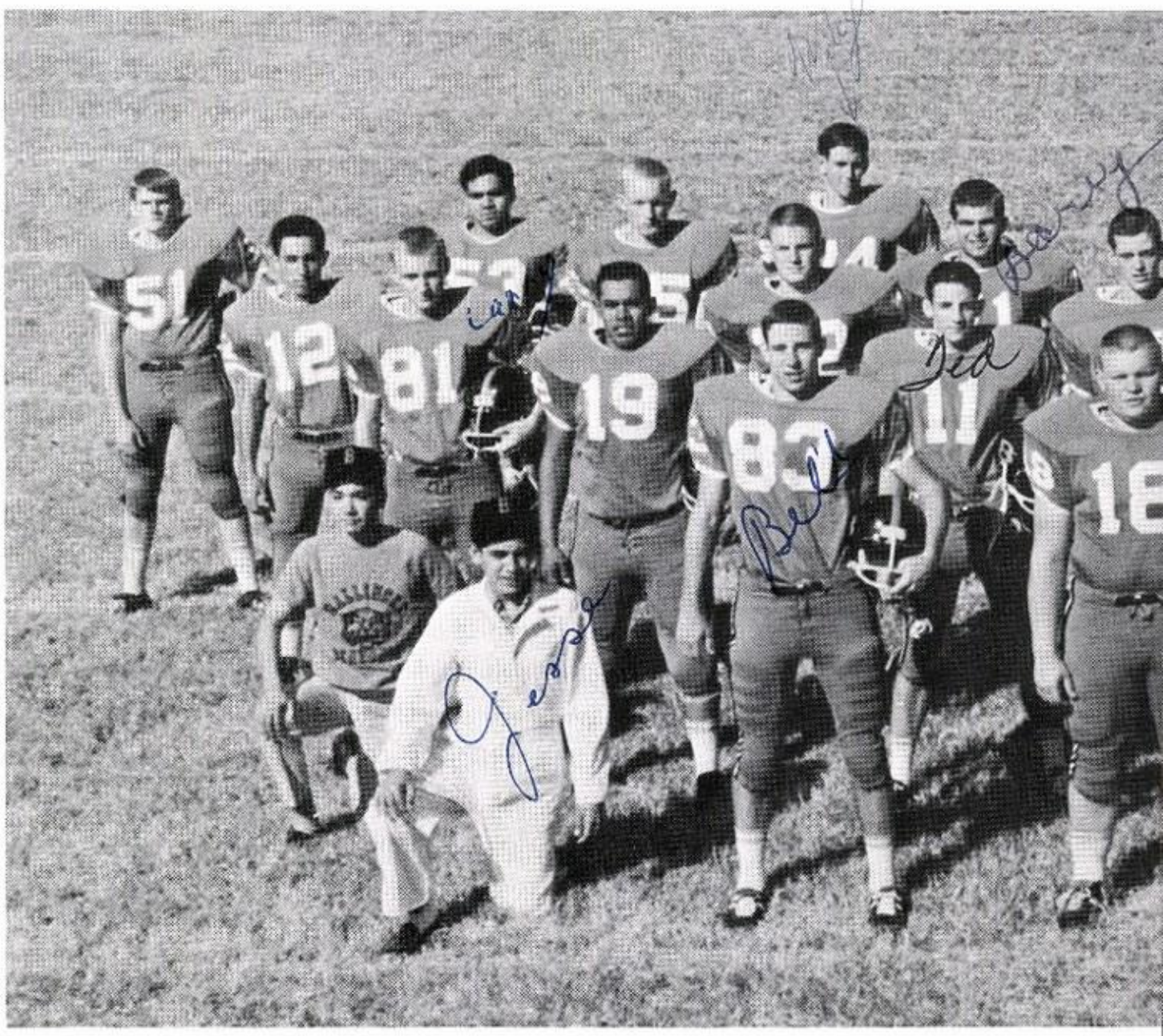
LOVE THIS SO MUCH! JULIA

I love this Baby too! Dobby

WINTERS!



Life is a very important game in which every human being has to participate. As in football, the individual can either move forward or be pushed backward. The direction he goes depends on his ability to work as a team with others. Athletic participation can build character and help prepare a person for the future.



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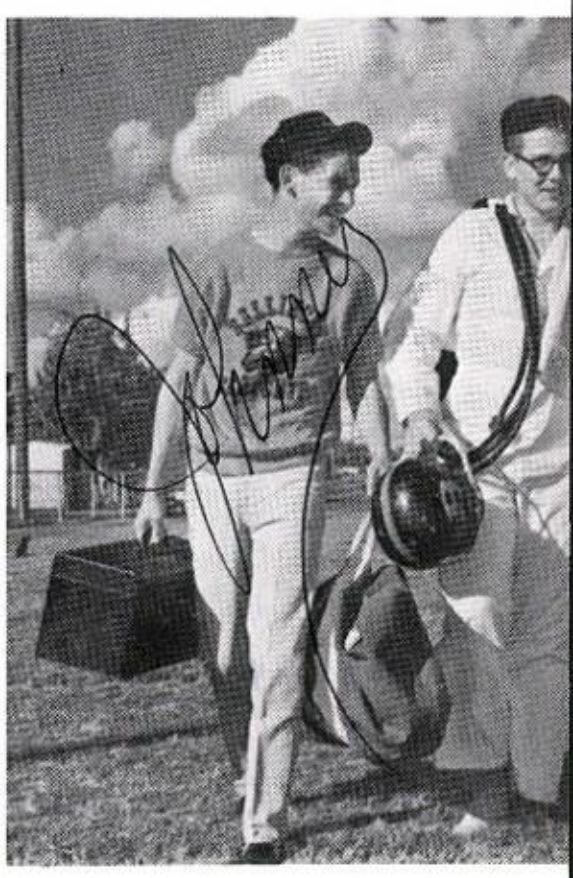

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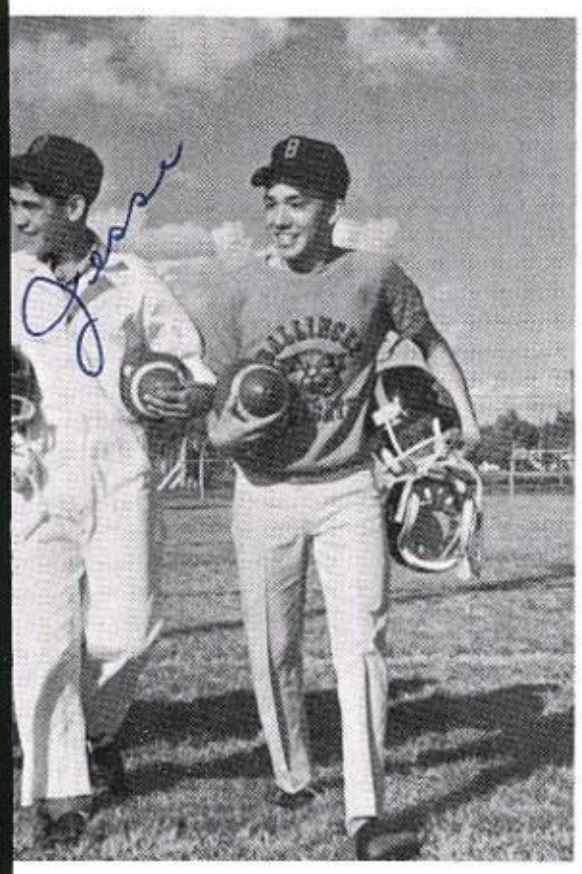

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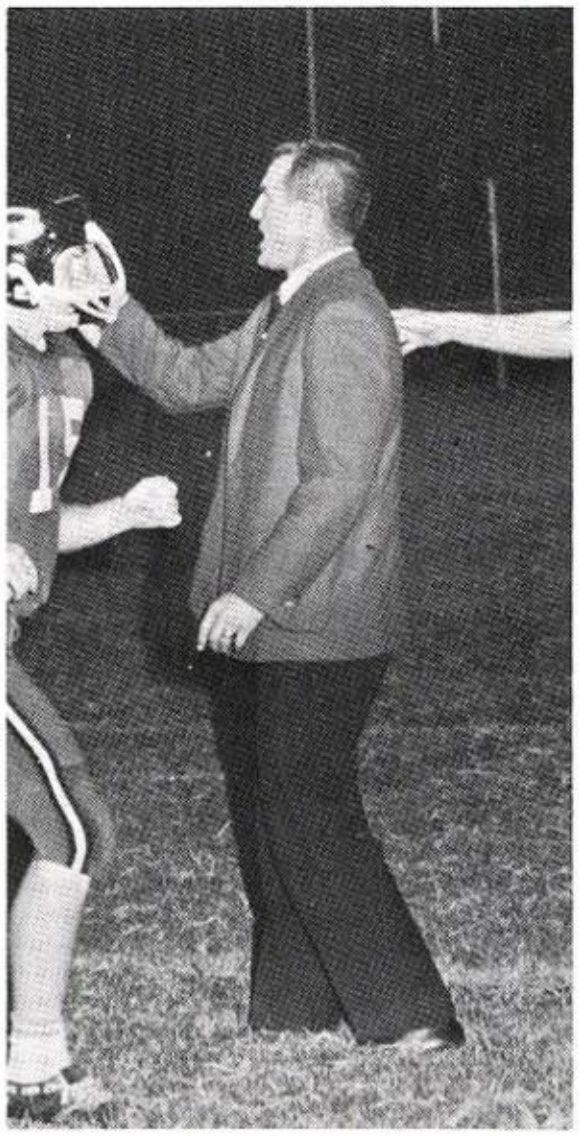

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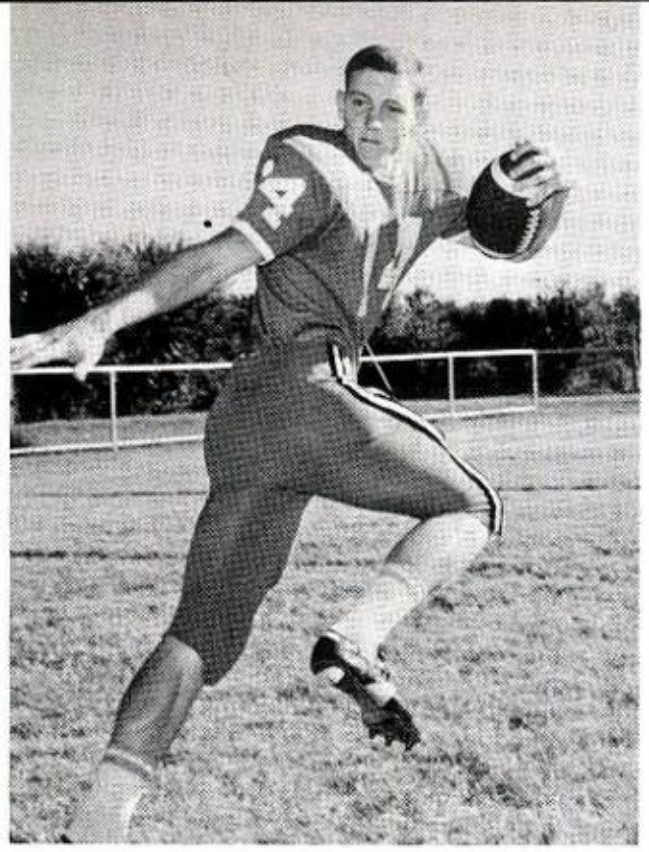

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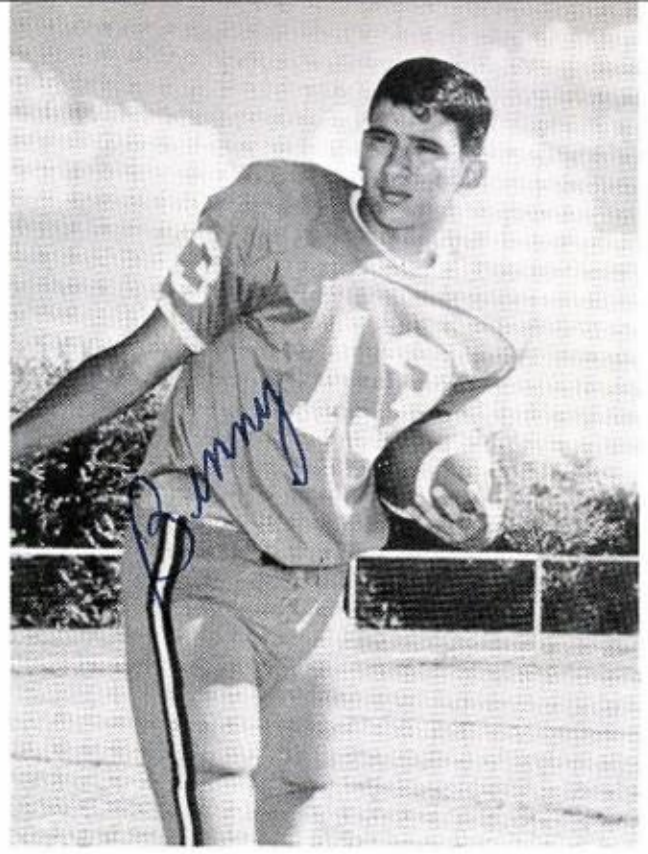

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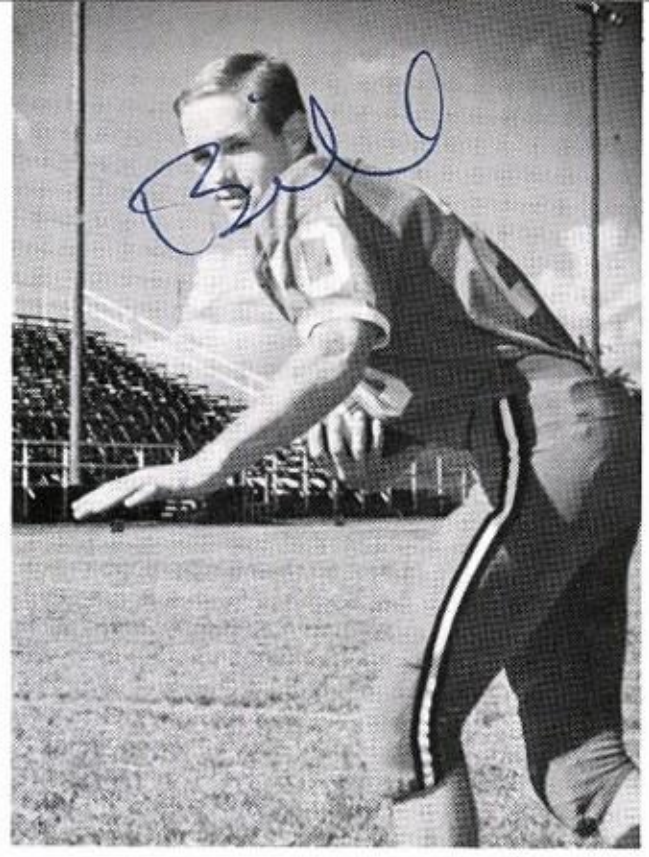

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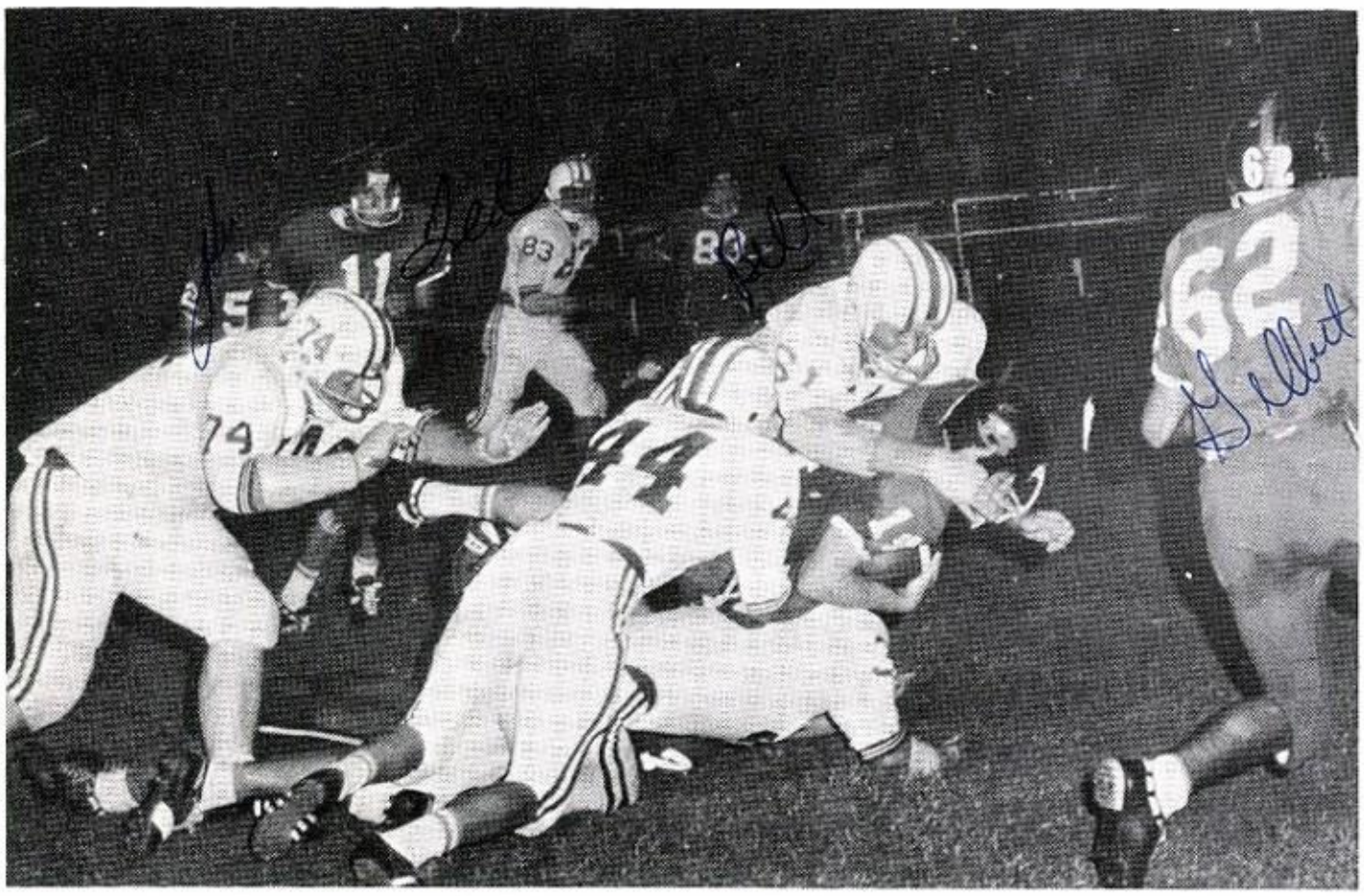
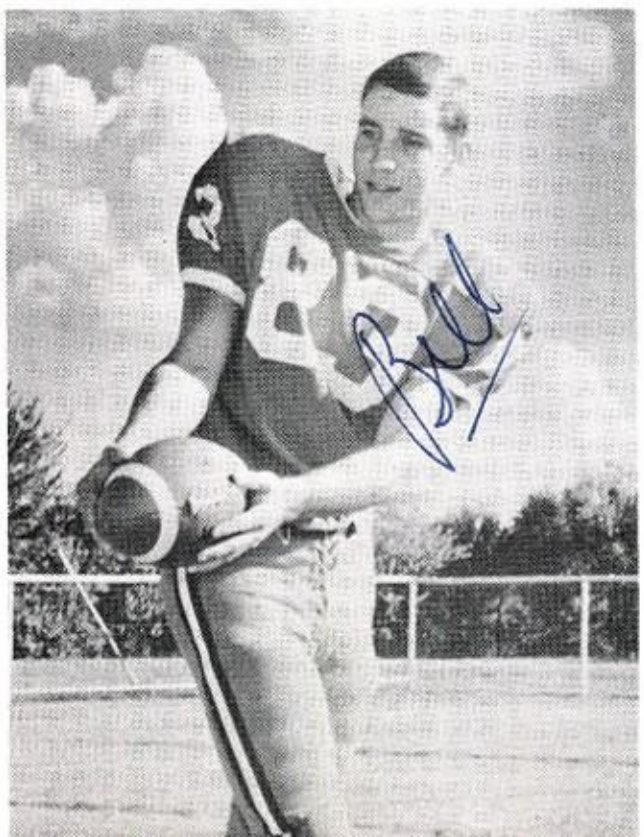


Three Bronchos upend McLarty as Armendariz prepares to block for him.

Ballinger Bearcats offense scored 39 points against the Sonora Broncos with McLarty leading the scoring with three T. D. while Ends Hale and Dean scored once. New made two points on the P. A. T. and McLarty kicked one. Outstanding defensive players were Johnson, Hubbard, Shelton, Hillard, and New.

Billy Hale
Left End



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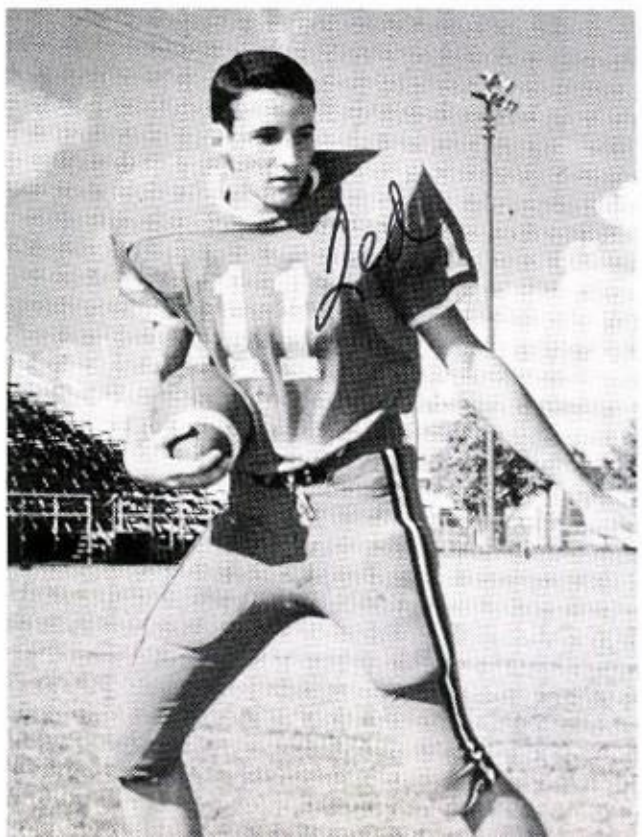

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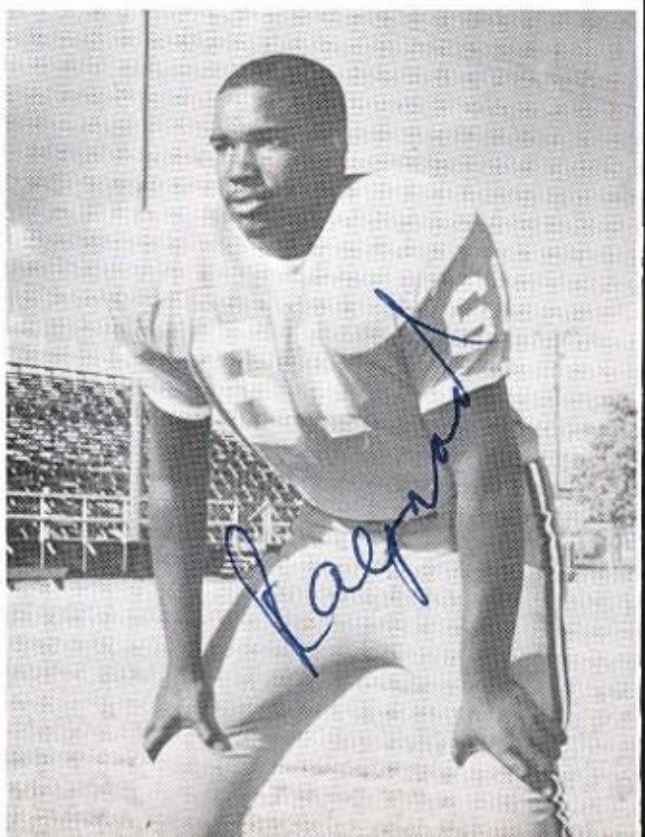

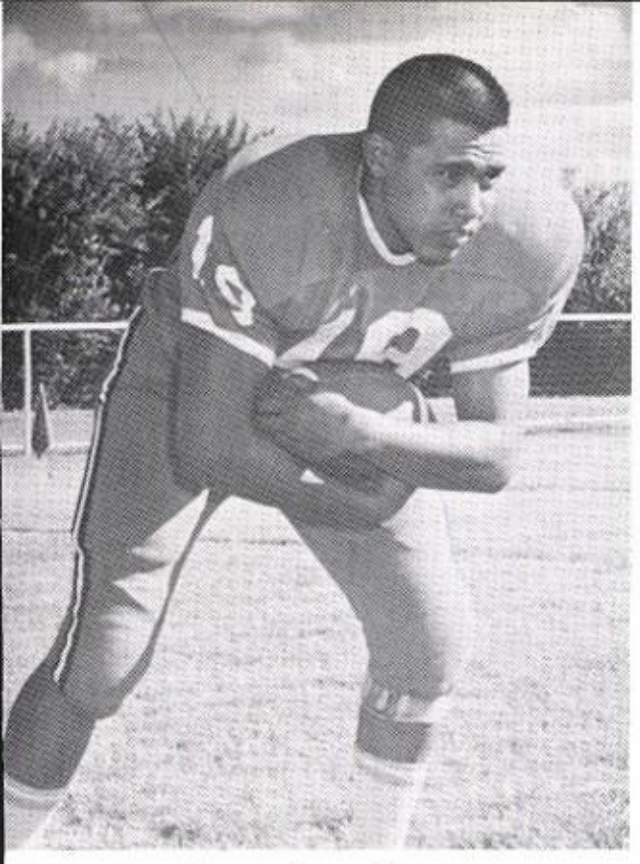

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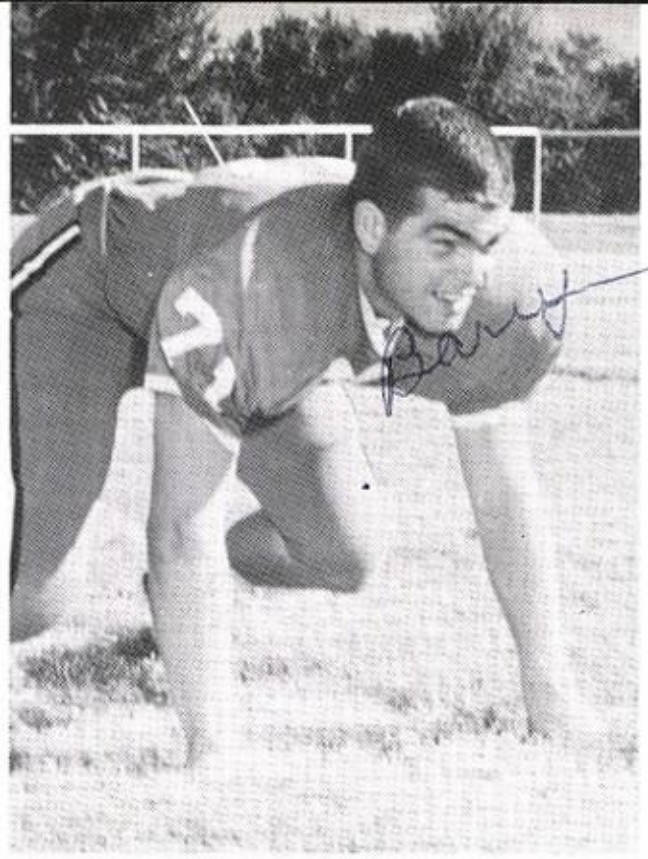
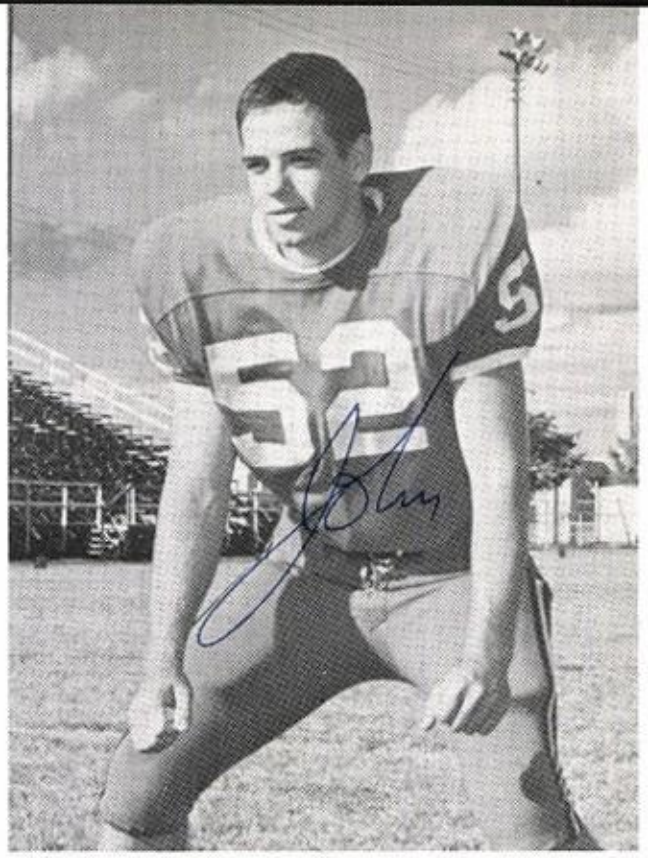
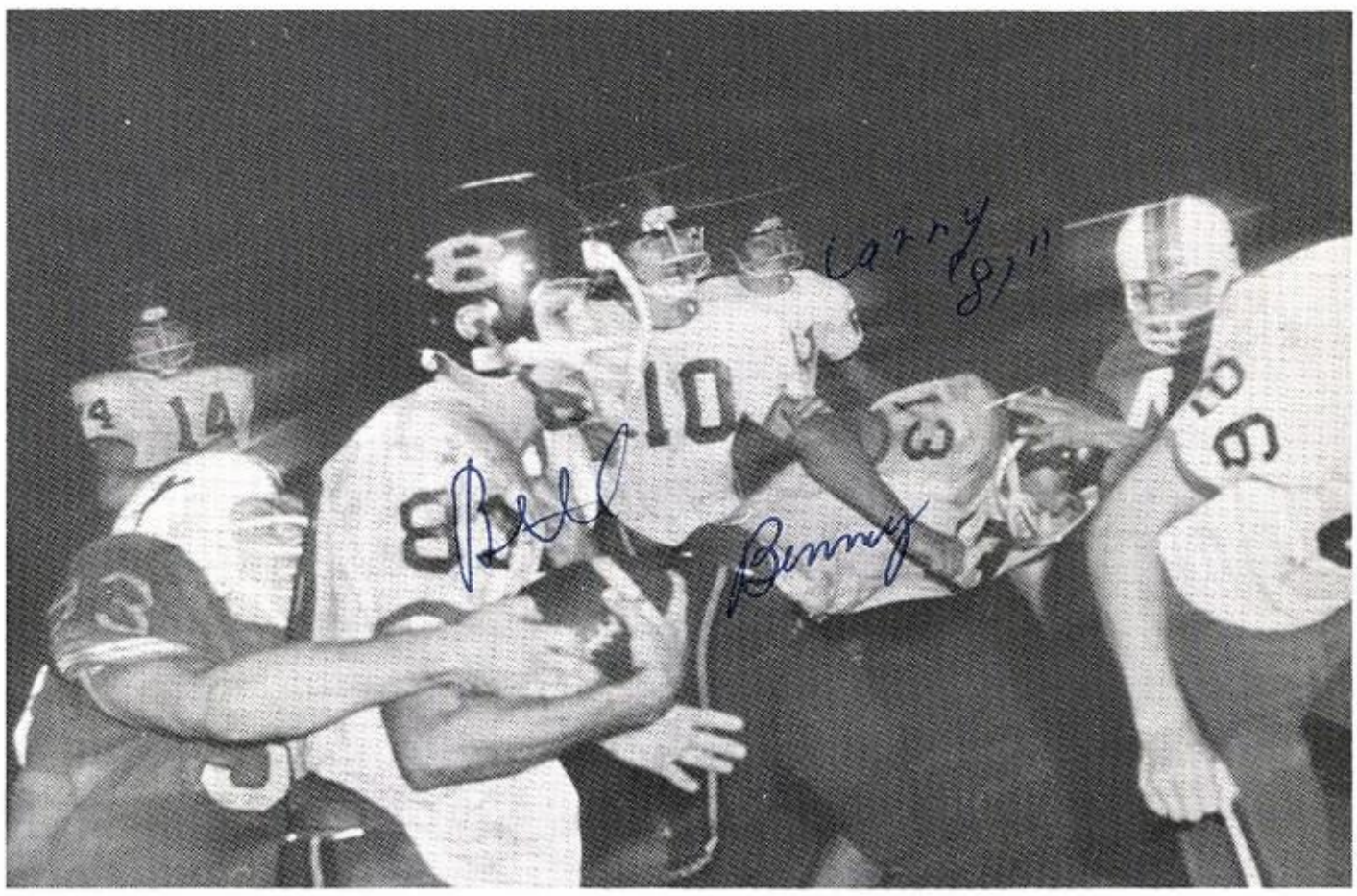


Barry Hillard
Right Tackle



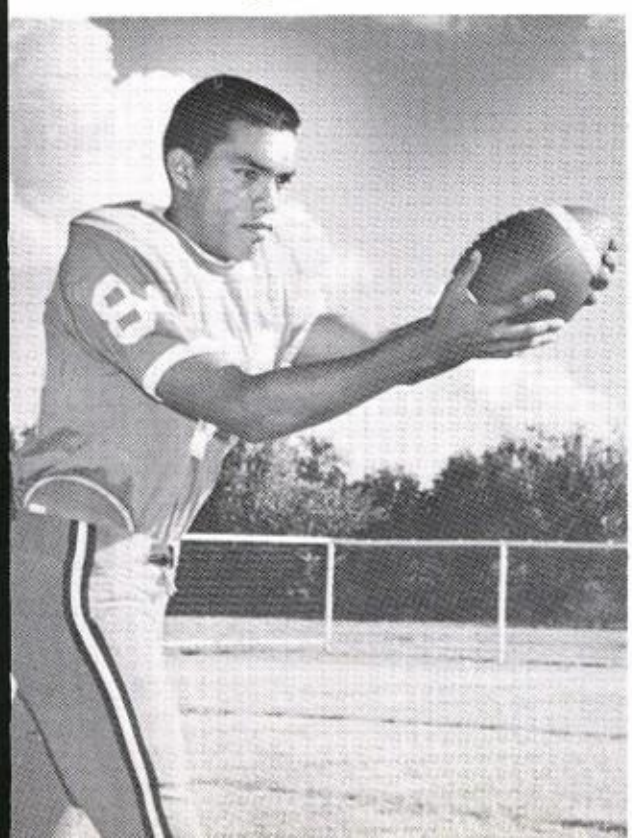
Johnny Jacob
Center

Ballinger, fresh from a crushing defeat of Sonora, launches the scoring with a McLarty 15-yard TD sprint. The PAT failed. Beset by bad breaks in the first 2 quarters Anson trailed 6-0 at halftime. Although Ballinger's team dominated most of the statistics, the loss of the ball four times on fumbles was too much for the Bearcats. In the third period Tiger Neal recovered a Ballinger fumbled to set up the score for Anson. The scoreboard read 7-6. The Bearcats fumbled on their own five yard line and the Tigers scored on the last play of the game winning 13-6. The outstanding defensive player for the Bearcats was Raymond Hubbard.



Hale tries to shake a Tiger as Fiveash and Martinez lead interference.

Noe Jaques
Left End



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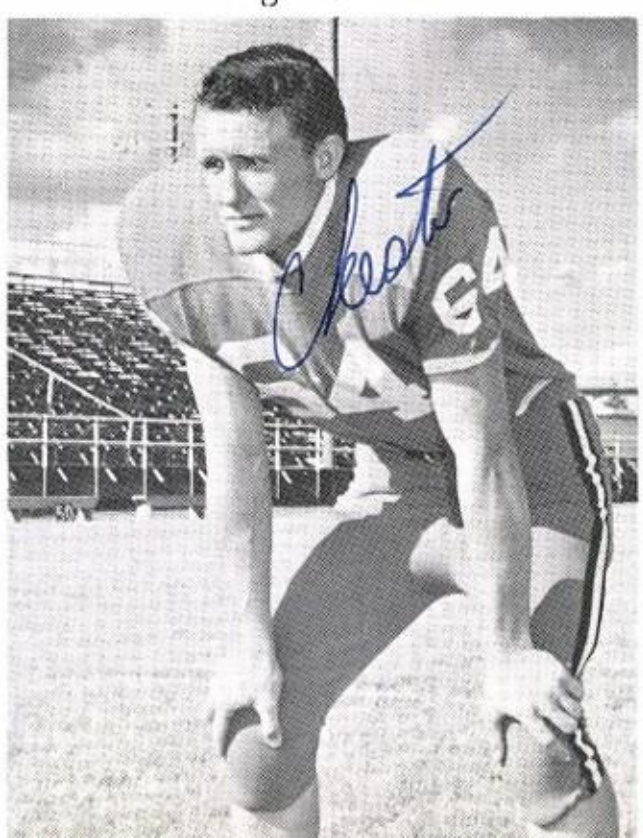

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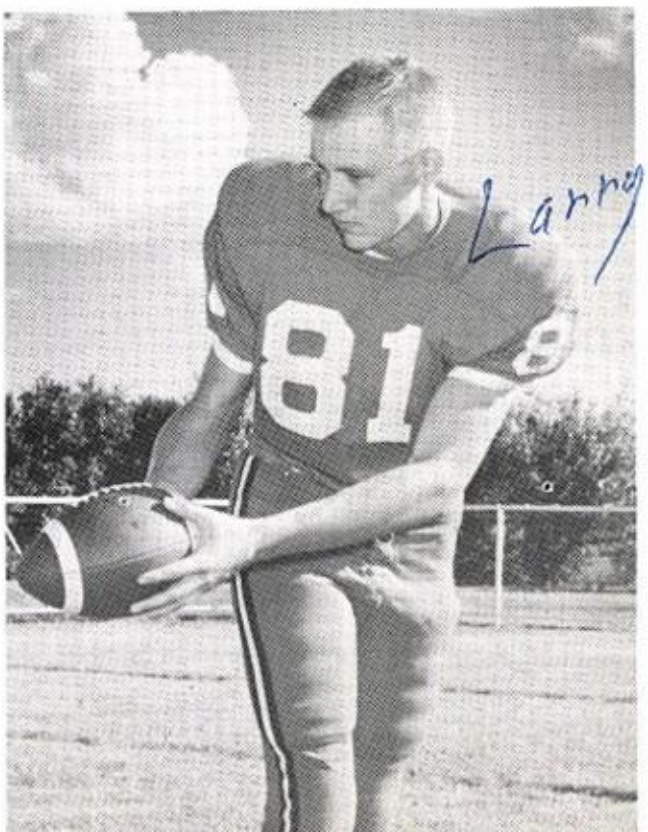
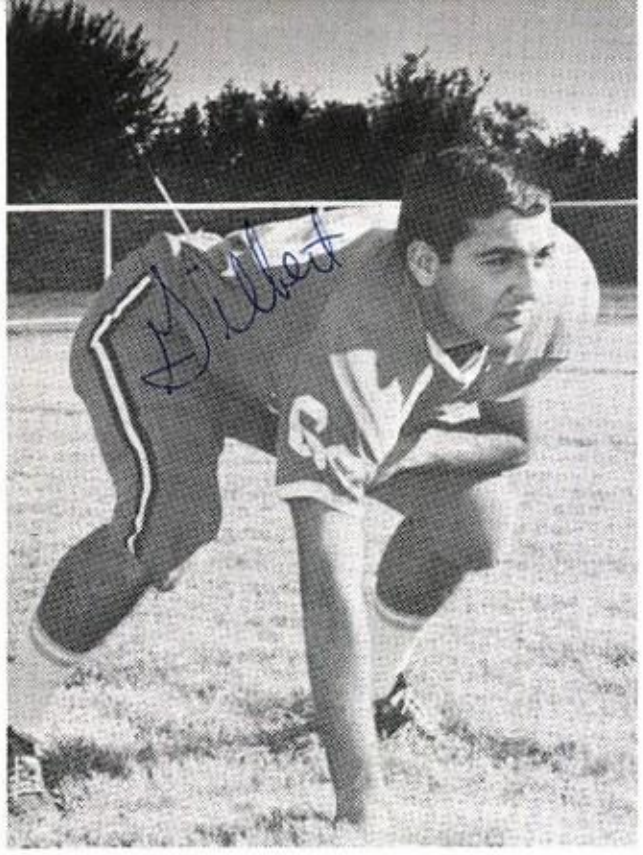
Left End





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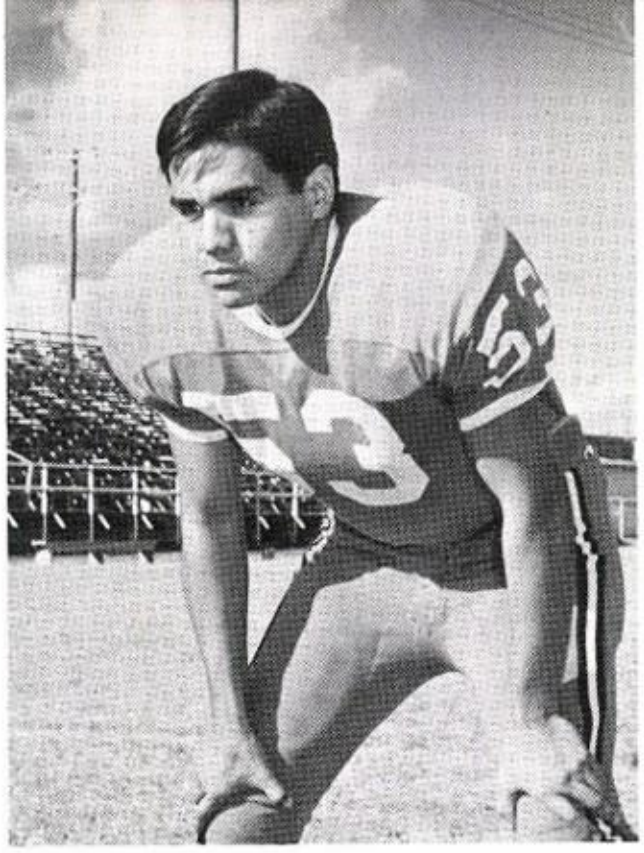

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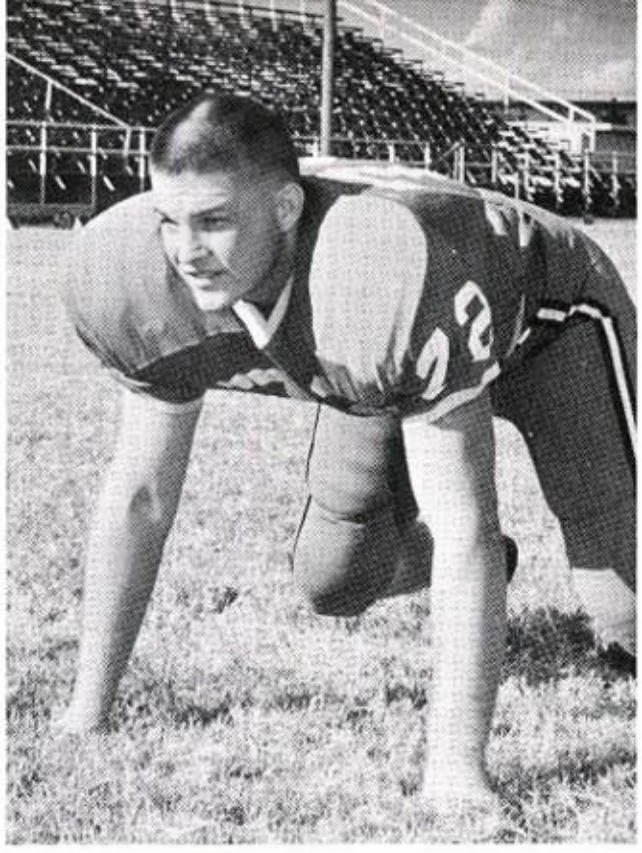

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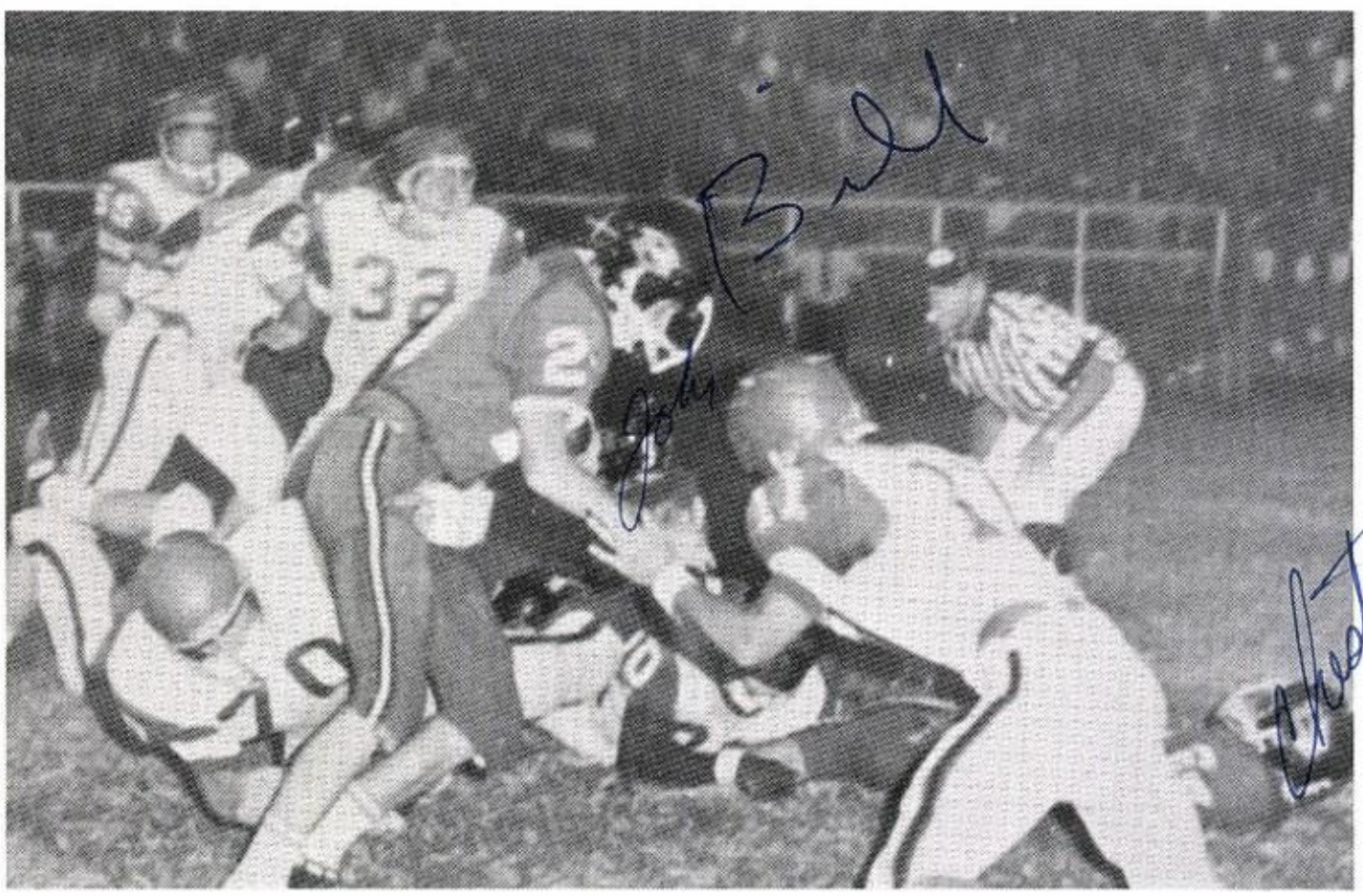
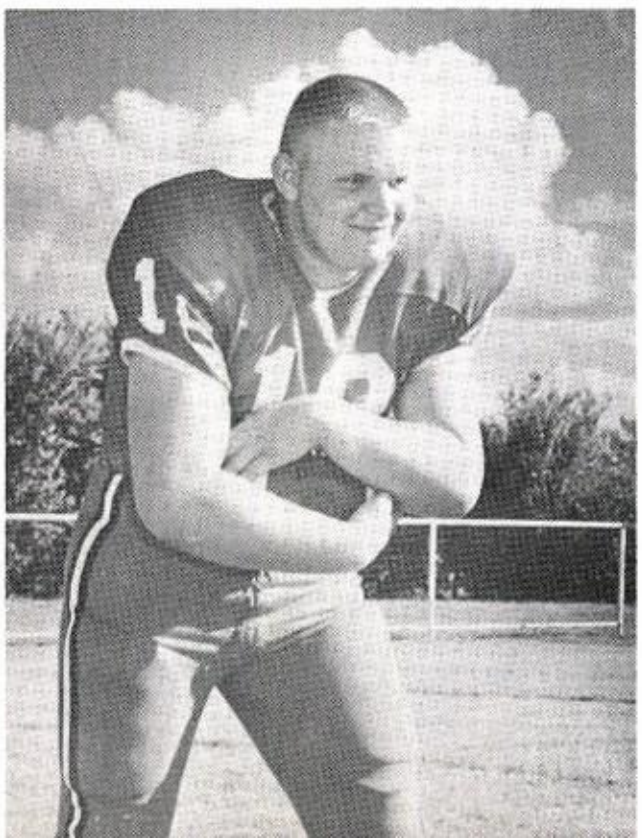


Middleton moves through a hole as two Wolves close in on him.

The Ballinger Bearcats blasted through the C-City Wolves defense for an over-whelming victory of 27 to 0. Billy Hale caught a pass and twinked-toed his way to the goal line. The Red Ant Defense held the Wolves' running-back, Steakly on pitchouts. Ballinger's McDaniel, a Sophomore, proved his worth with a 25 yard pass from McLarty for a touchdown.

Tommy New
Fullback



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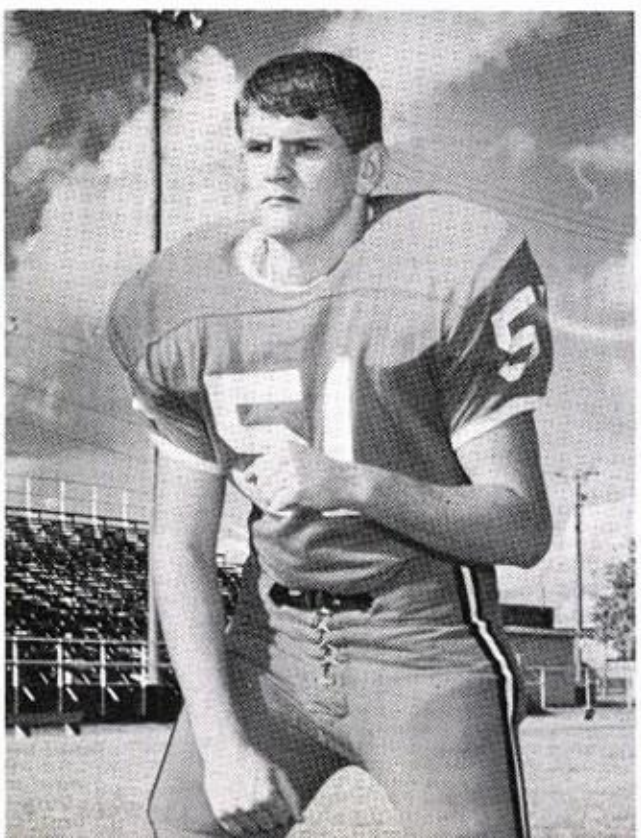

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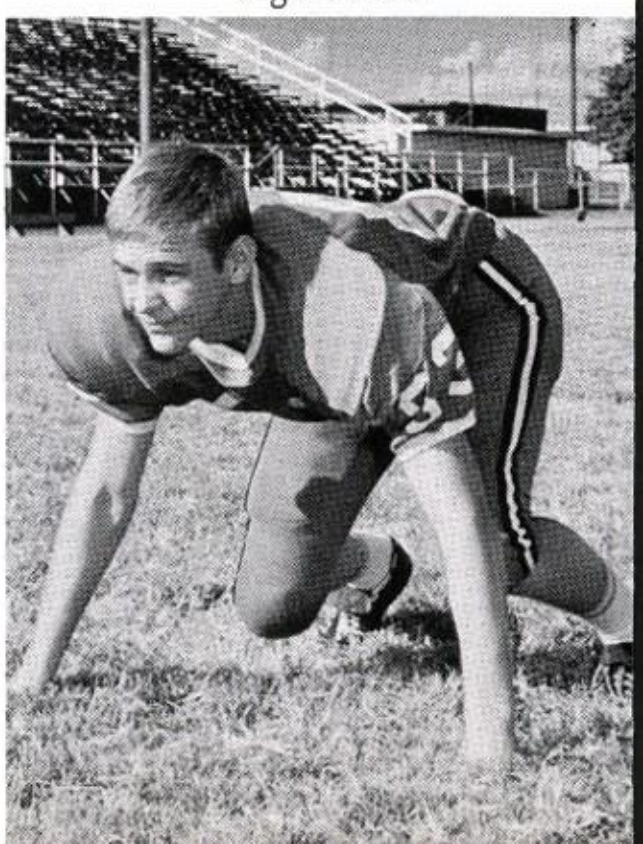
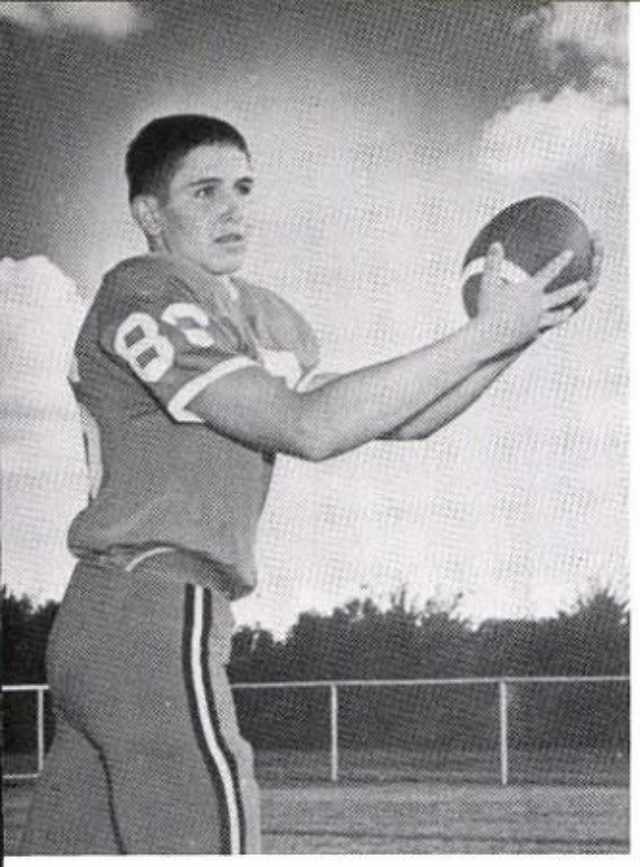
Right Guard





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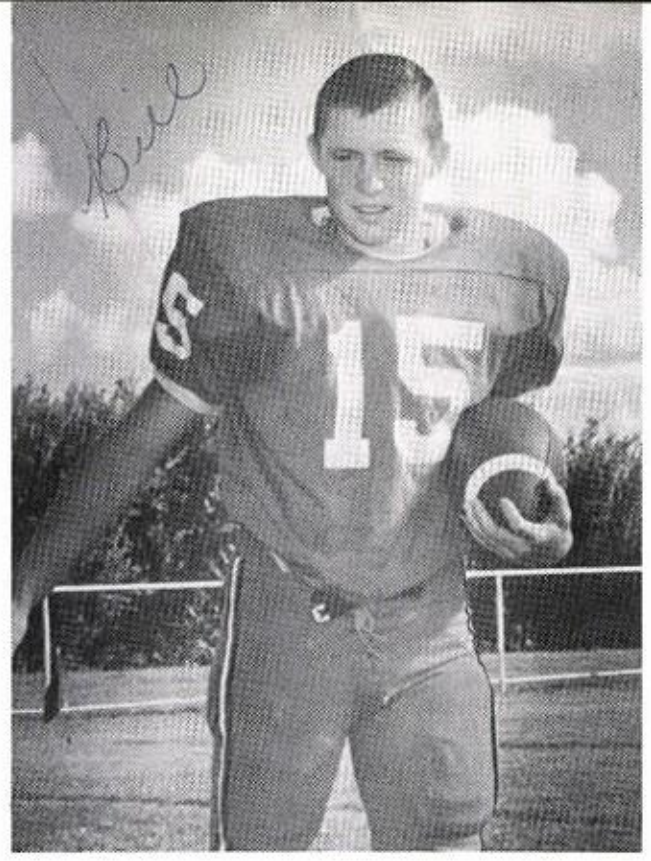

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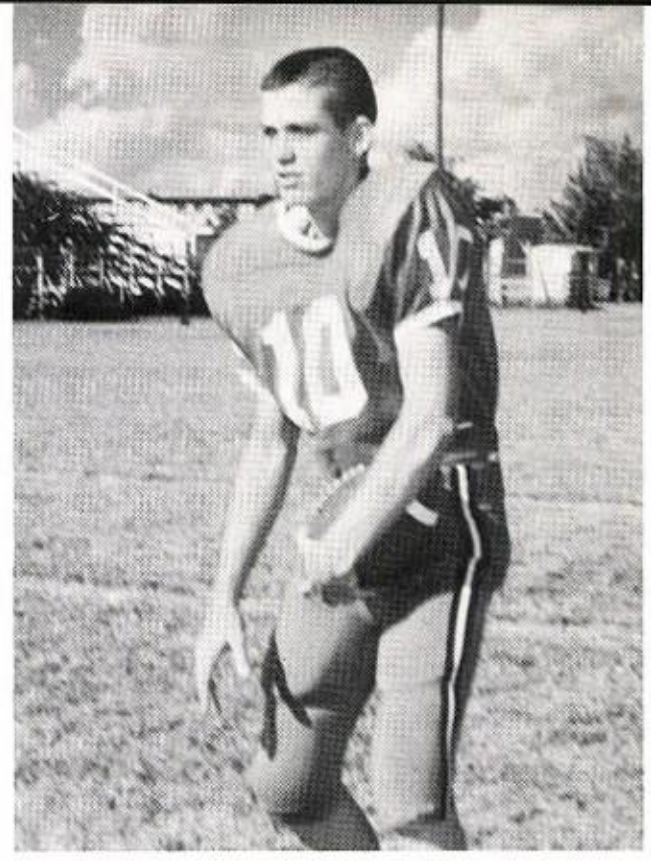
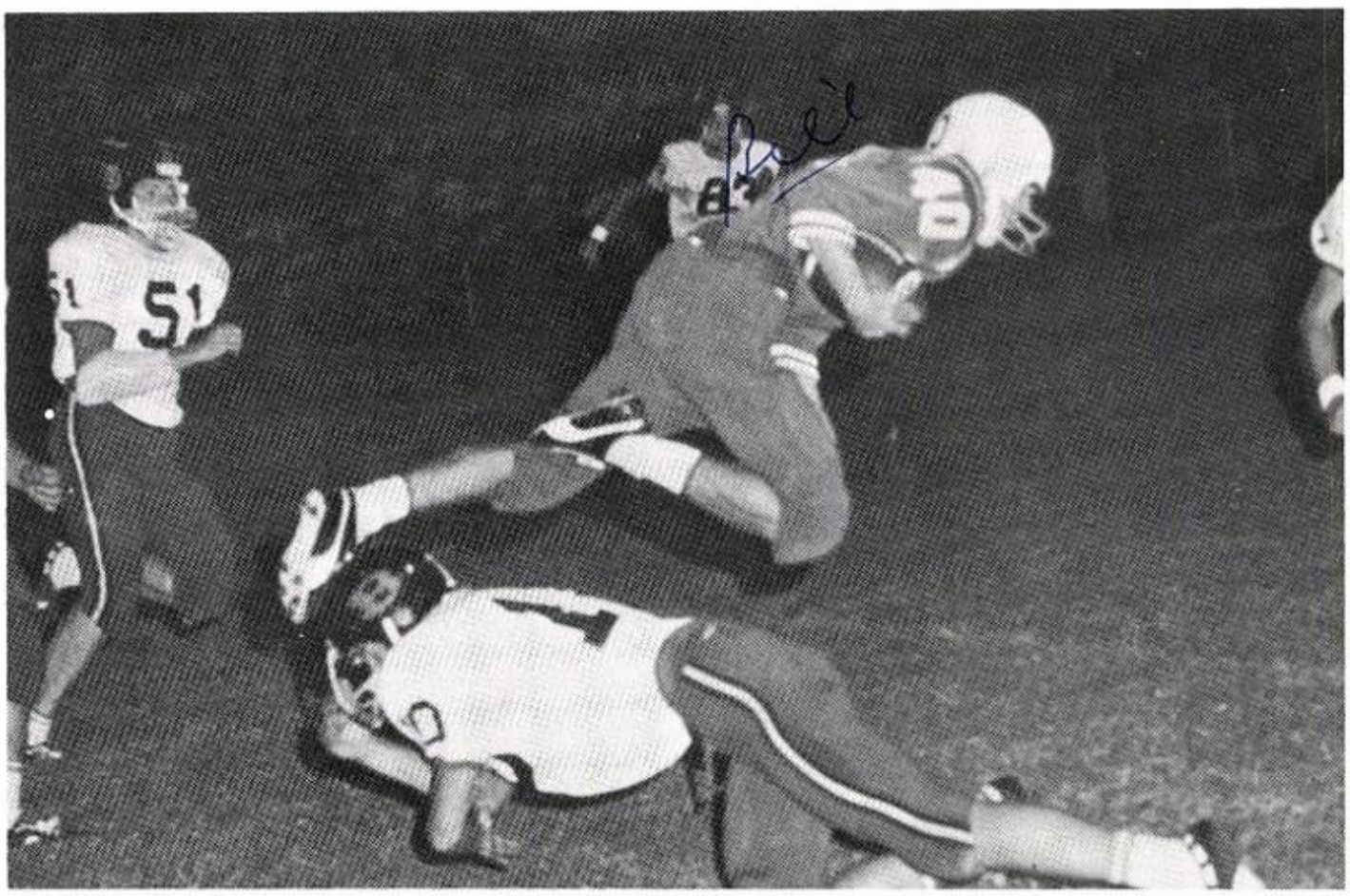
Halfback



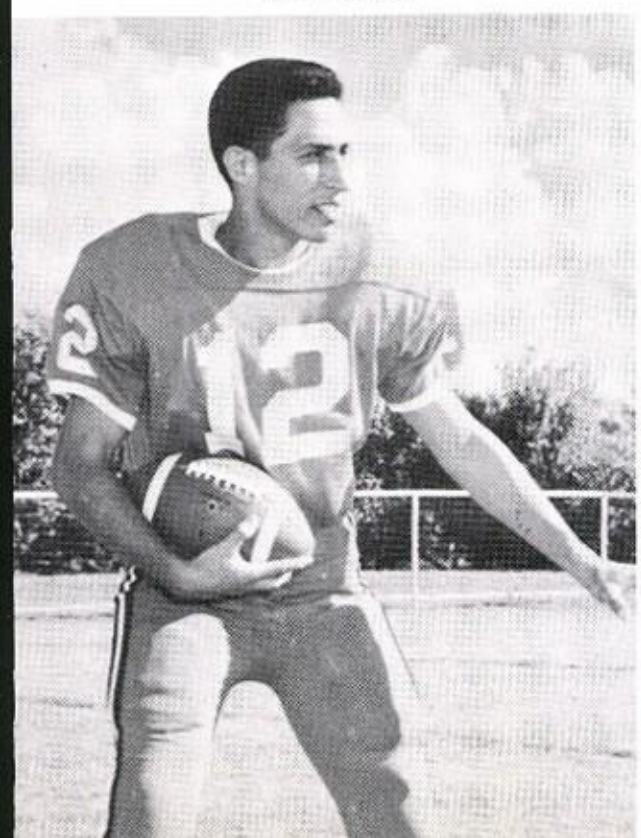
Jim Yarnell
Quarterback

Ballinger Bearcat's swift offensive and their "Red Ant" Defense defeated the Winters Blizzards 21-0 at their homecoming. The scores were by Martinez making the first and only T. D. of the first half, McLarty scored the next T. D. on a 46 yard scramble, Steve Cook kicked the point after, Jim Yarnell scored the next T. D. with a line play over left tackle. The rugged Bearcat Defense held the Blizzards to a minimum 19 yards rushing and only two first downs the second half.

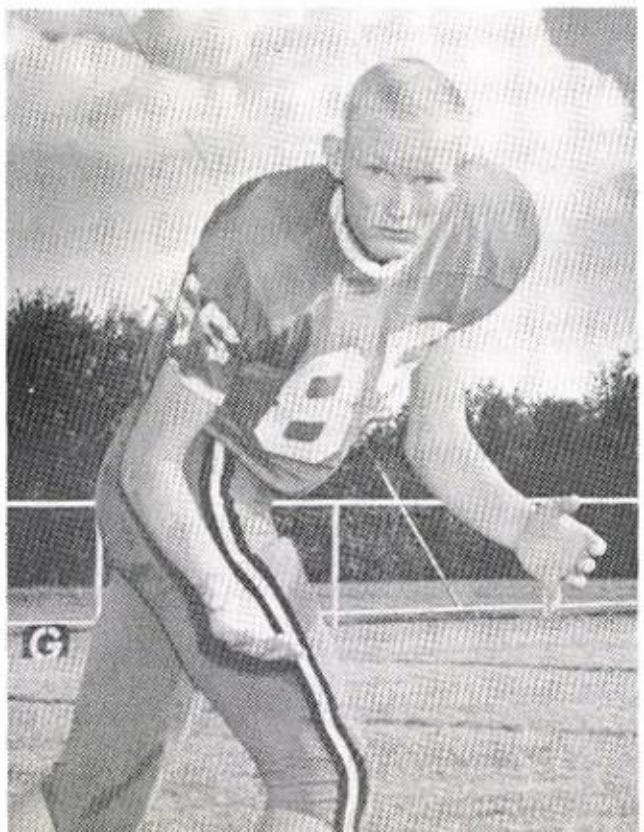


Jim Yarnell trips up Winters Blizzard No. 40 with plenty of assistance.

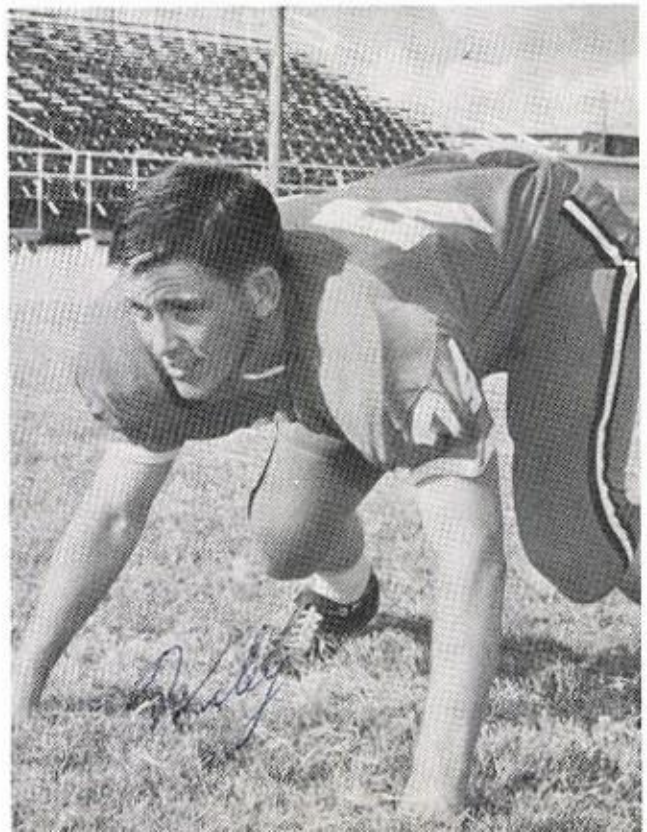
Johnny Paul Nombrano
Halfback



Howard McDaniel
Right End

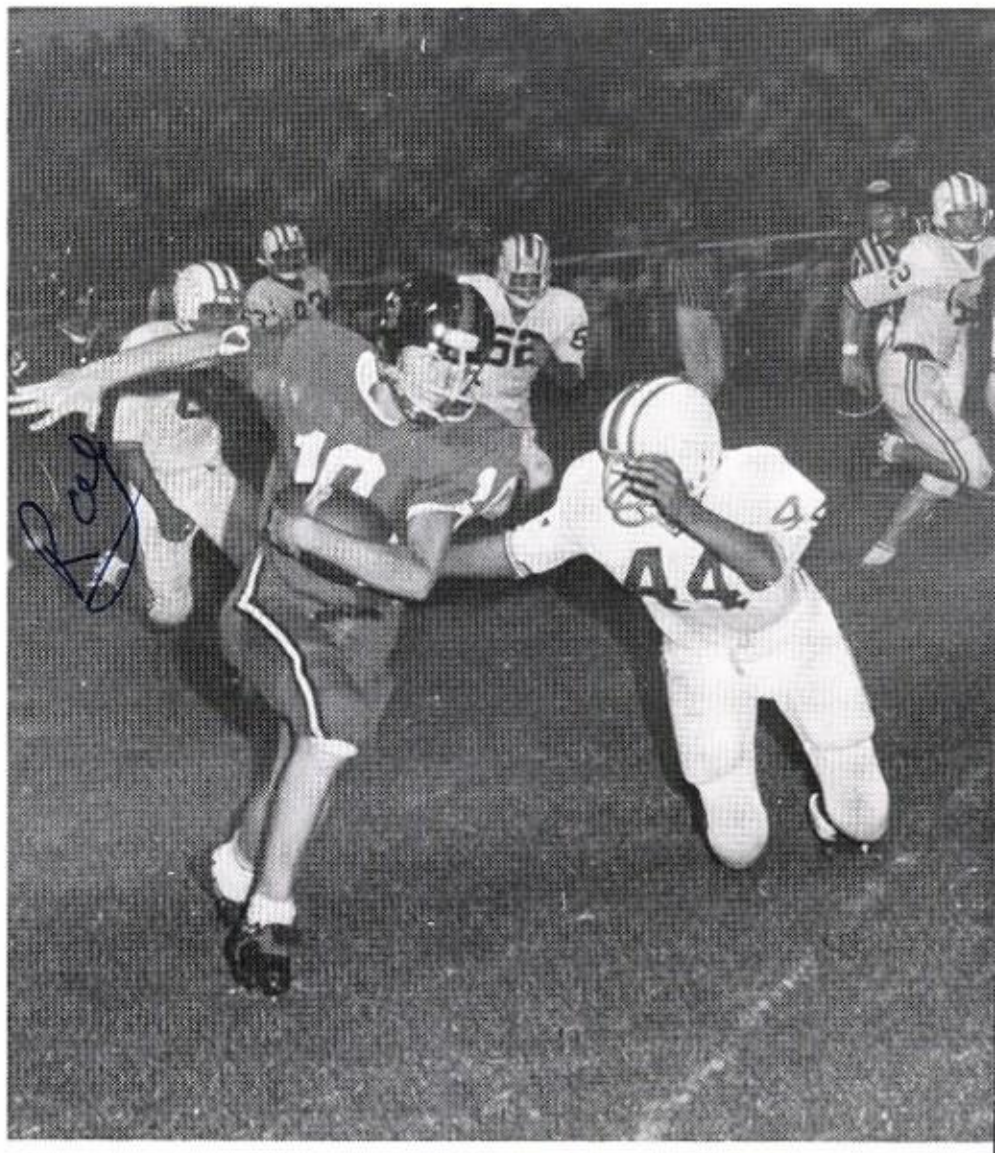


Kenneth Wiley
Right Tackle



The Ballinger Bearcats met sudden defeat playing the Llano Yellowjackets on their home field homecoming night.

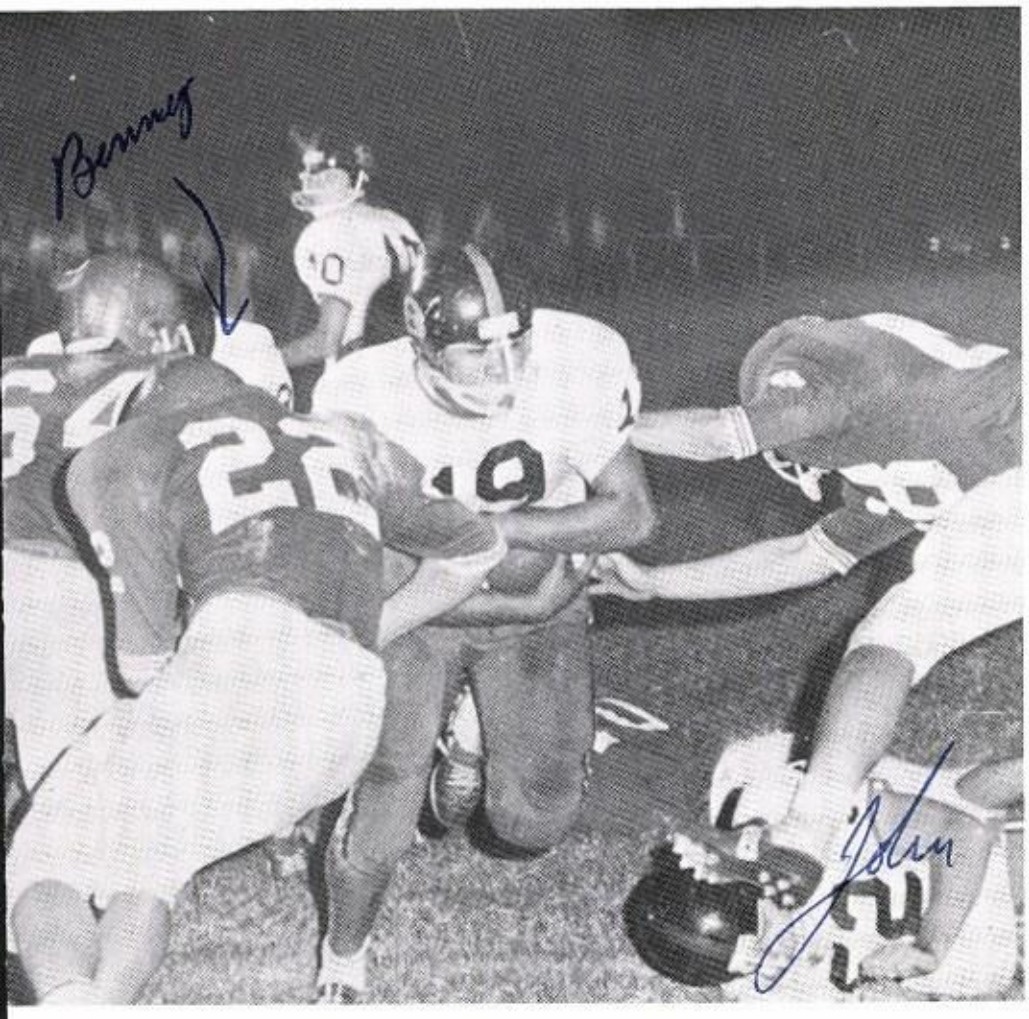
In the second quarter, Johnny Shelton turned the table on the Yellowjackets and four plays later, the Bearcats made a scoring drive. Sammy McLarty made the TD runs. Leading the Bearcats on defense were Raymond Hubbard, Tommy New, Billy Hale and Howard McDaniel. Jim Yarnell and Sammy McLarty were standouts for Ballinger offensively.



Bearcat Jim Yarnell gains good yardage against the Llano Yellow Jackets.

Football Sweetheart, Julia Jones, and Band Sweetheart, Charlotte Hallmark, are all smiles after being crowned during half-time ceremonies of the Ballinger-Llano game.

The Ballinger Bearcats punched out a victory over the Mason Cowpunchers in a very important district game. Benny Martinez made the first touchdown with a pass from Sammy McLarty in the second quarter, and Sammy ran the ball in for two extra points. In the third period, McLarty passed to Billy Hale for a touchdown and again ran in the extra points. Lupe Gonzalas, and Howard McDaniel also scored for touchdowns.



Lupe Gonzales scrambles for yardage against the Mason Punchers.

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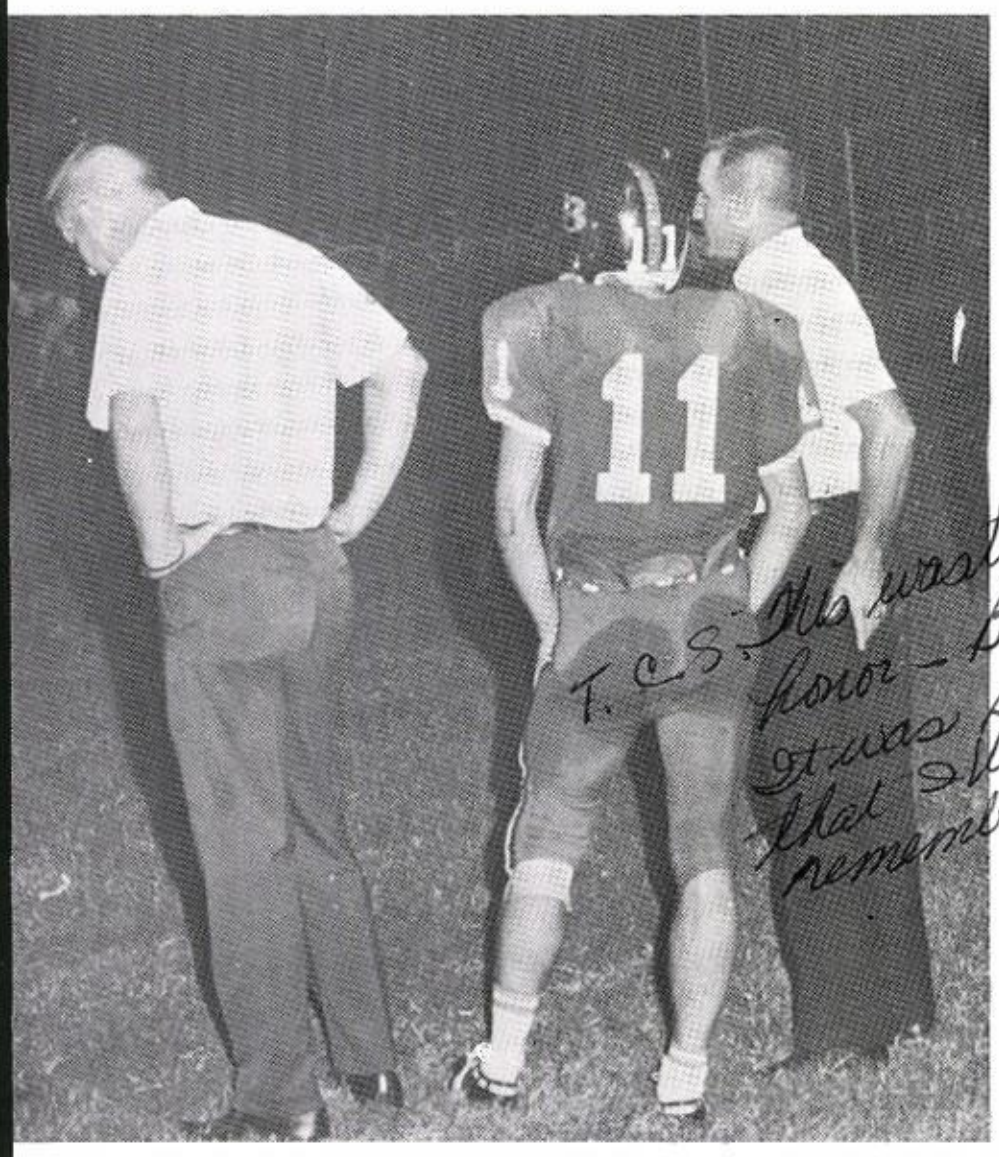
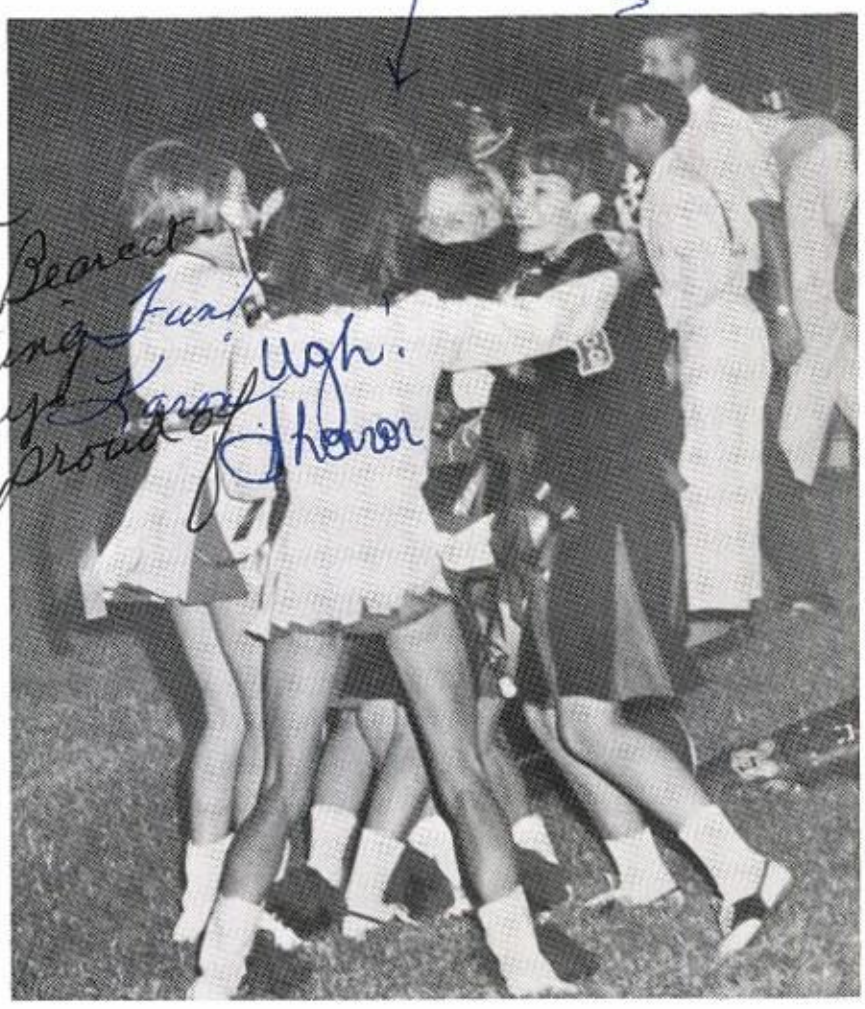
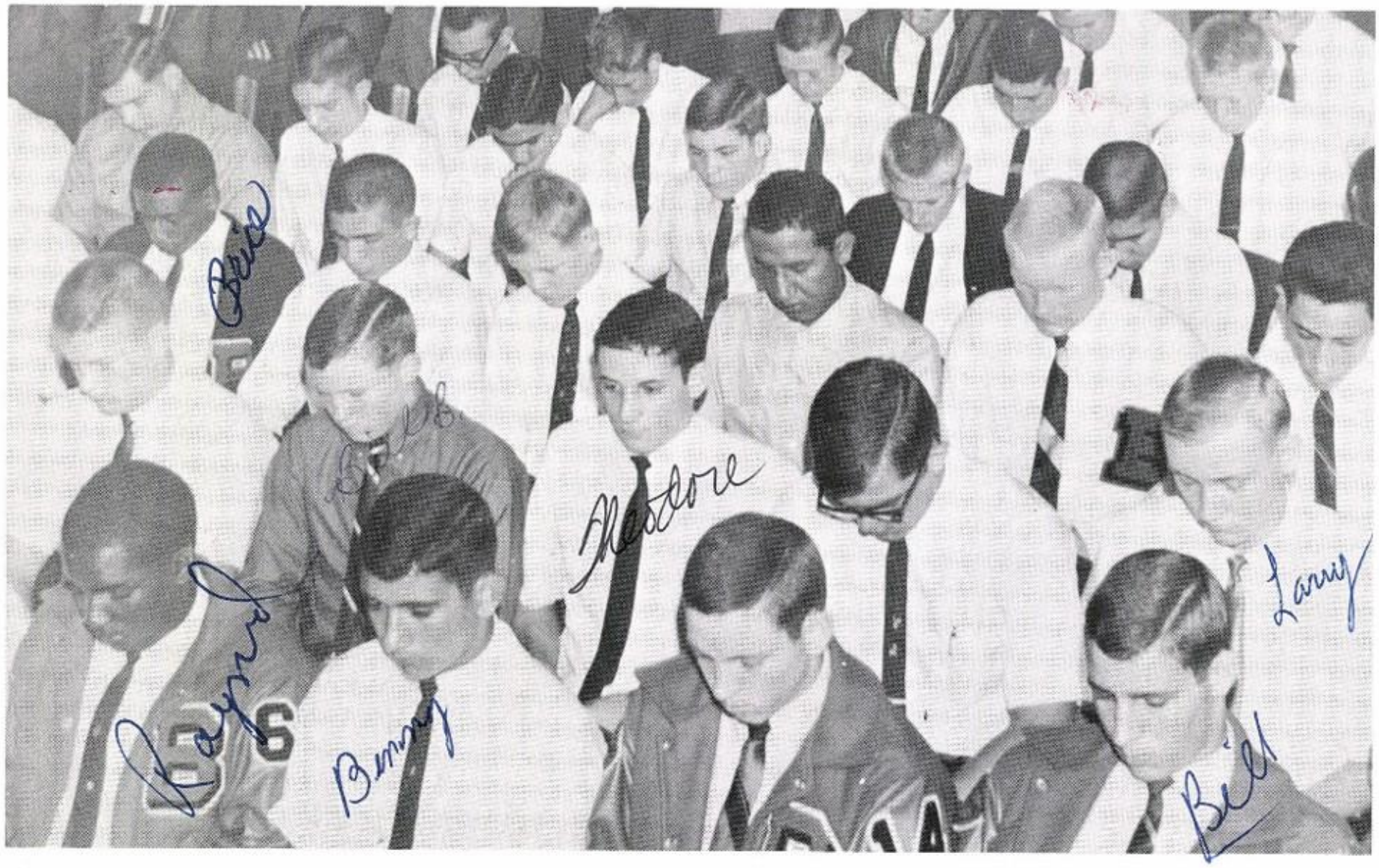


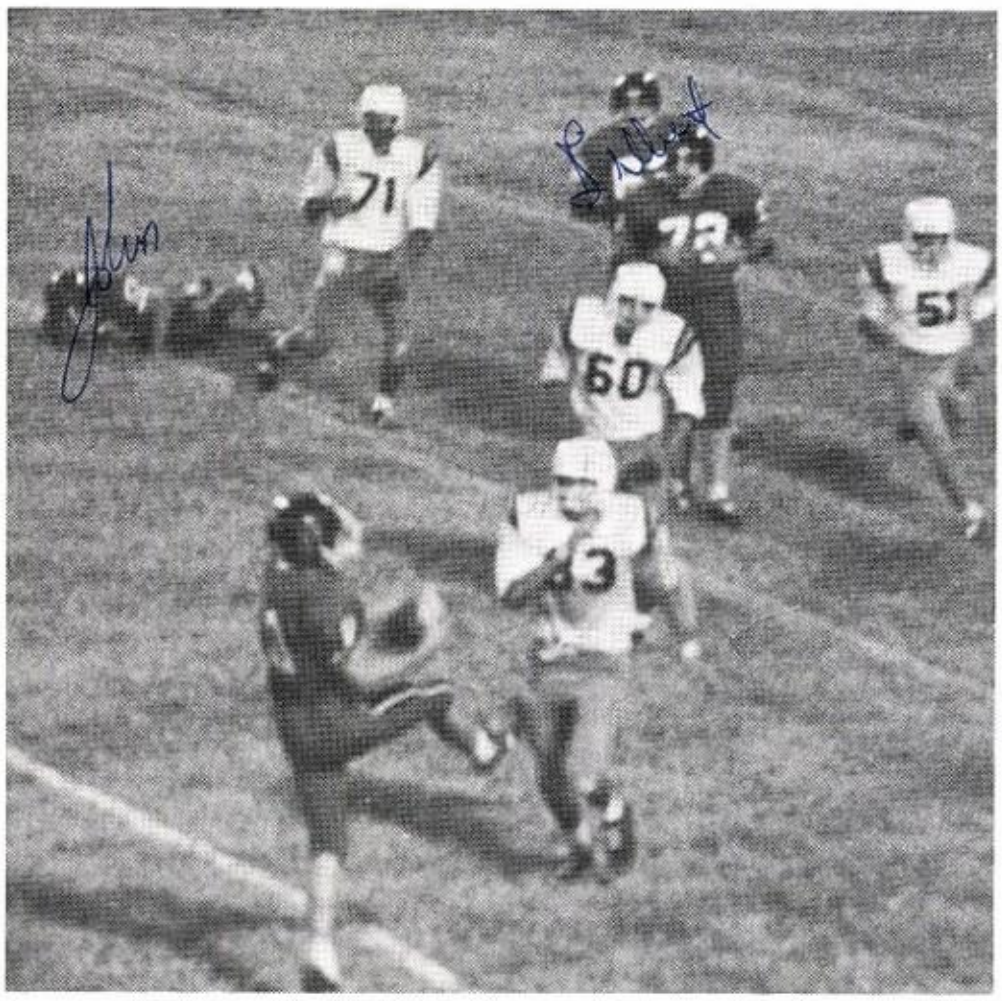
Coach Brevard consults with Bearcat Ted Sykes during Sonora game.



The Cheerleaders and twirlers are very excited about beating the Blizzards.

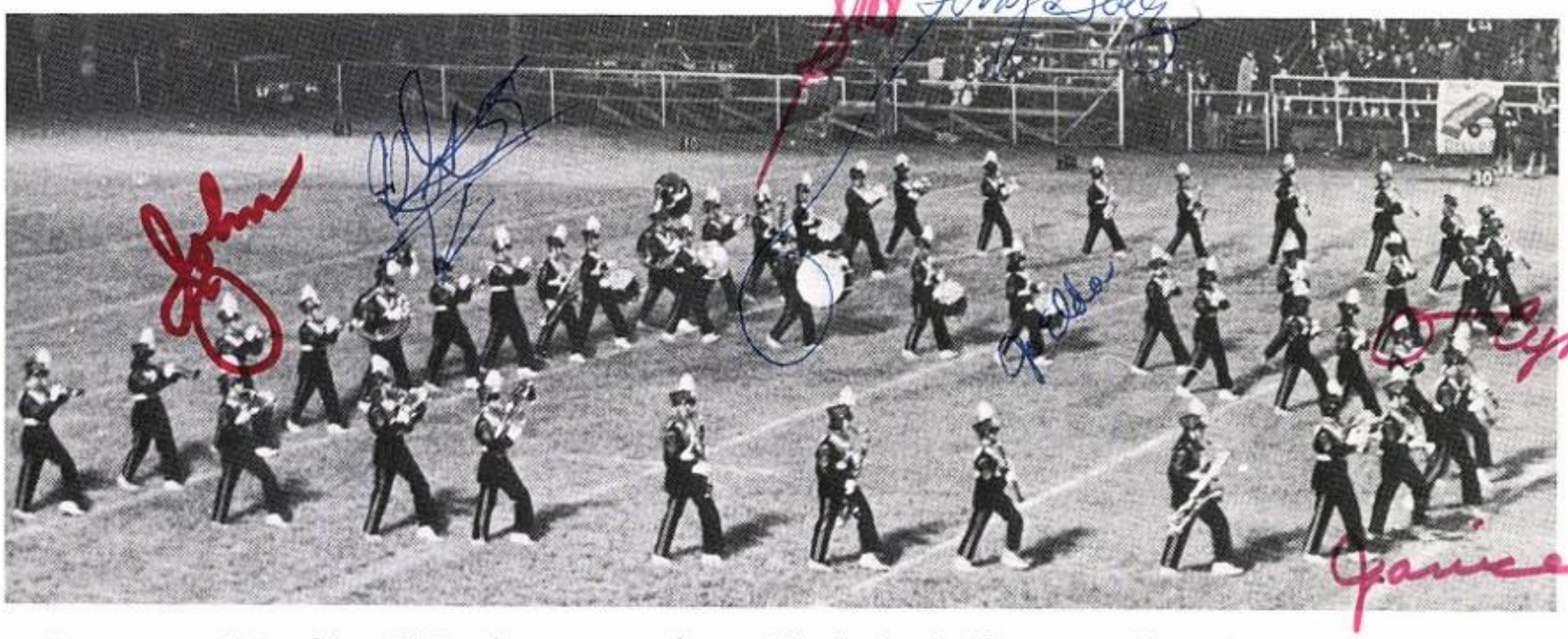


This is a time of solitude and serious thinking during each pep rally.



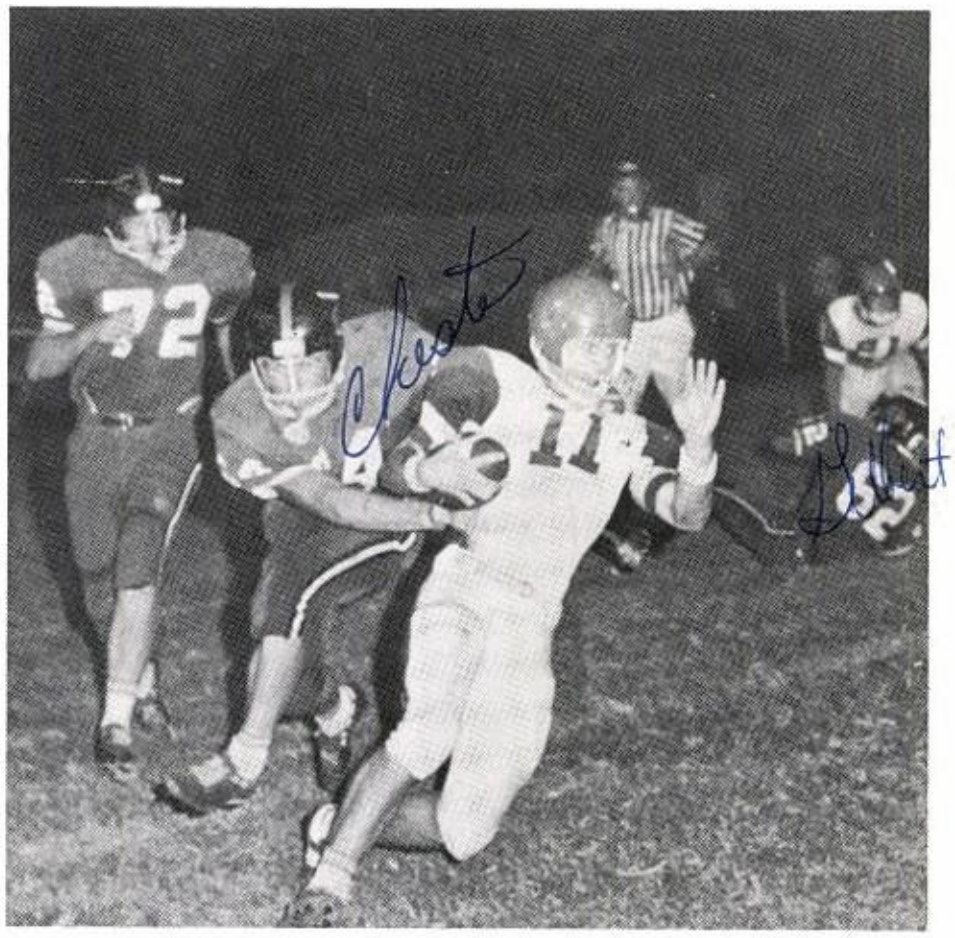
Jim Yarnell, catches a pass from Sammy McLarty on a wing-back on the sideline.

The Ballinger Bearcats shattered the Armadillos with a 14 to 7 victory over San Saba. Billy Hale and Sammy McLarty made the only Bearcat Touchdowns for the game. Tommy New and Raymond Hubbard were the outstanding defenders on the Red Ant Defense.



The Bearcat "Marching B" Band arouses student spirit during half-time performances at each game.

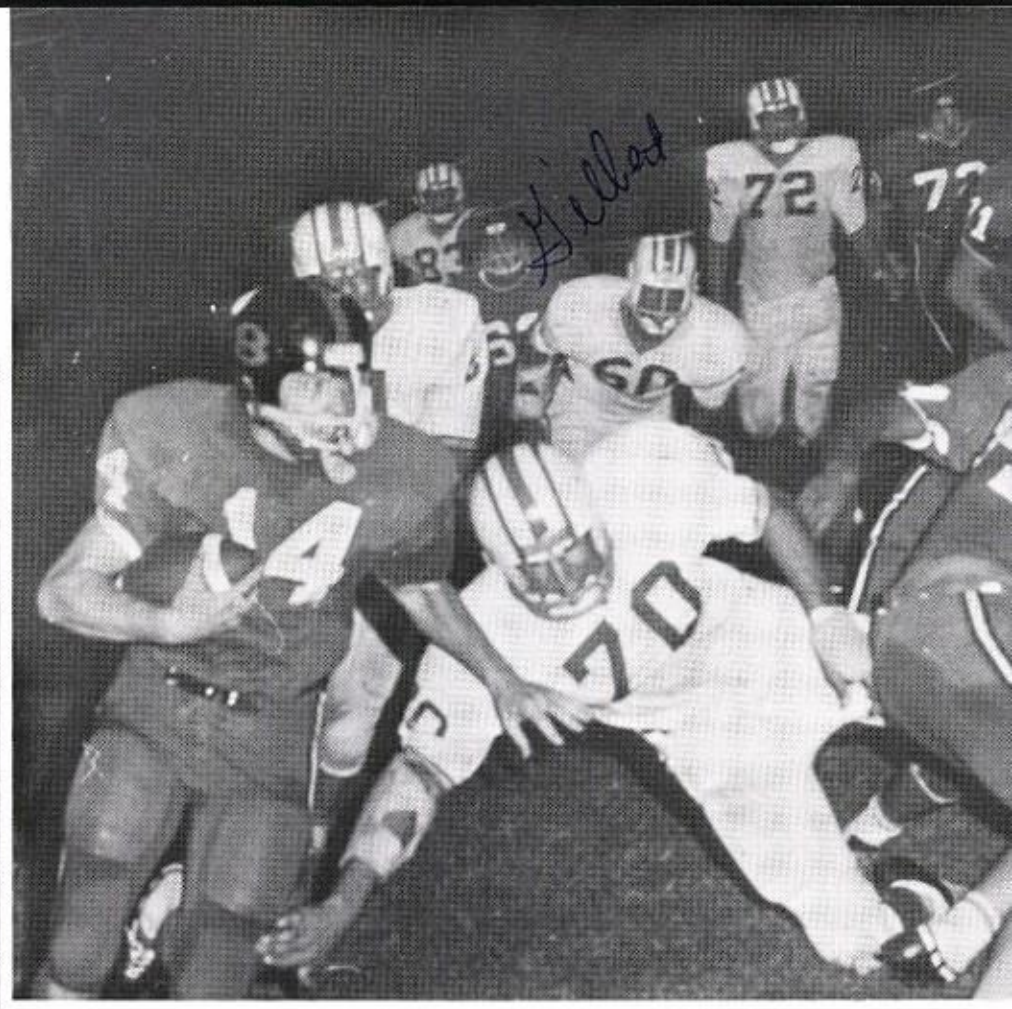
The Ballinger Bearcats ripped into the Bluecats with a winning score of 37-0. The first TD was made by running quarter-back McLarty for twenty-four yards. Steve Cook booted the extra points. Jim Yarnell passed to Billy Hale for a thirty-eight yard trip ending the quarter. McLarty ran eighty-five yards for a TD in the second quarter. Yarnell intercepted a pass from the twenty and ran to the end zone for six points. S. Cook scored in the third quarter with an eighteen yard field goal. In the fourth stanza Johnny Nombrano smashed through from the three for the final score.



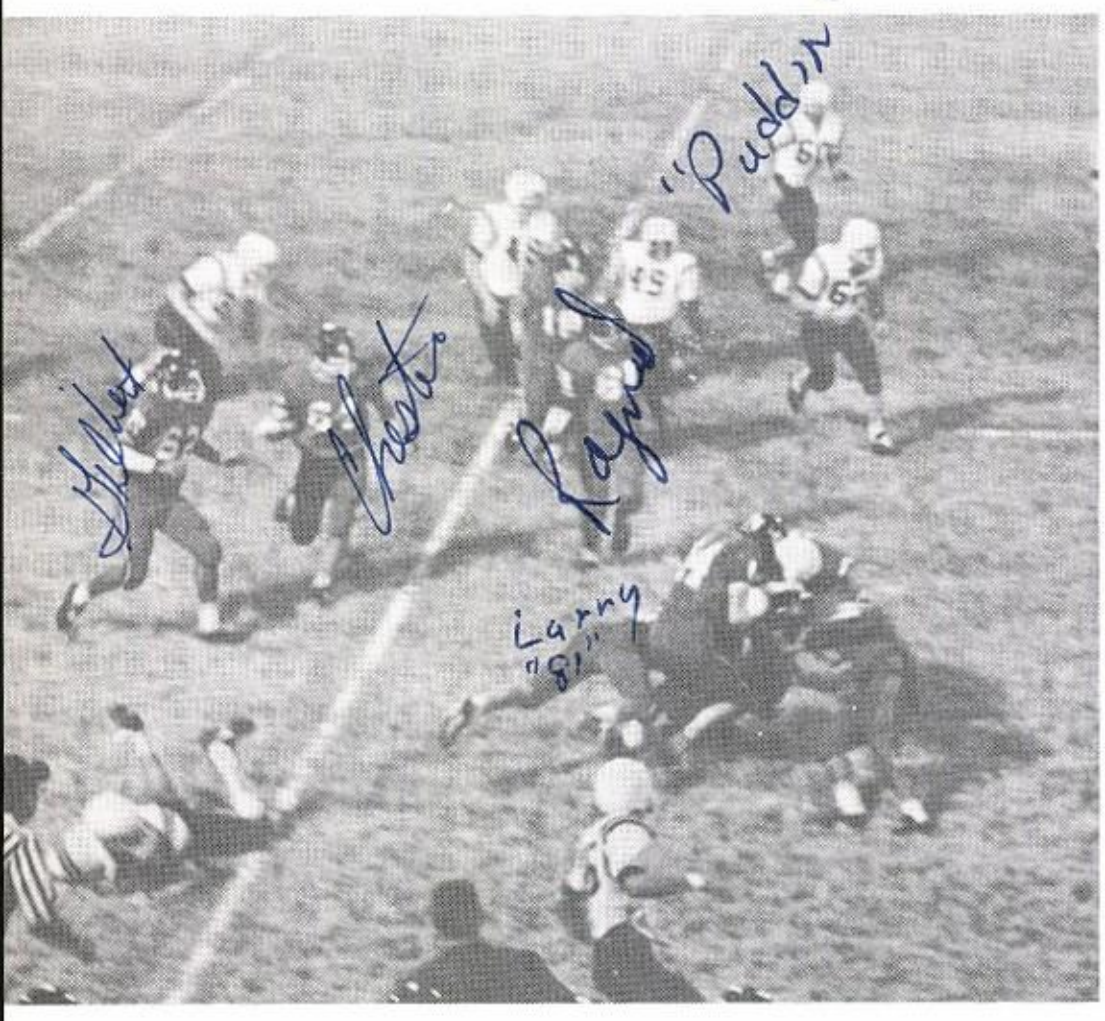
Johnson socks it to a C-City Wolf.

Bearcat Tommy New plunges into the C-City Wolves.

The powerful Bearcats storm the Brady Bulldogs.

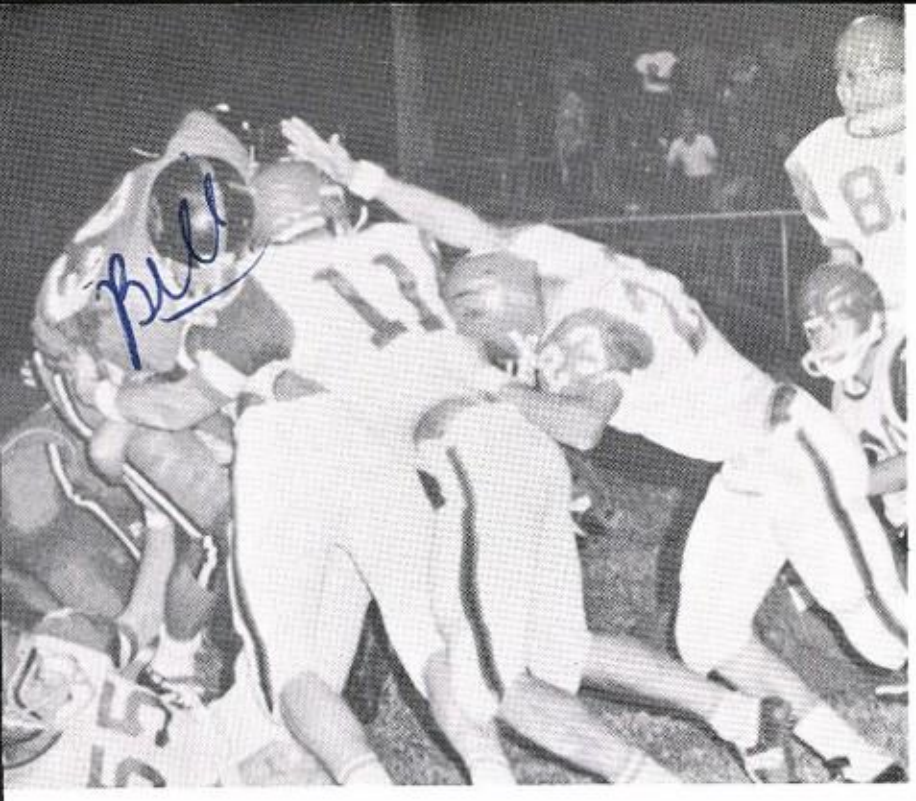


Mighty Bearcats charge to the assistance of another player.



Five interceptions was just enough to give the Brady Bulldogs a 26-20 win over the Ballinger Bearcats. On th first play of the second quarter McLarty spotted McDanie and connected to put the Bearcats on the scoreboard. A pass to McDaniel for another TD left the score 14-7 at halftime. McLarty found McDaniel waiting in the end zone for Ballinger's final TD. McLarty tried for the two points and lost the ball, but a group of Ballinger lineme recovered the ball in the end zone and left the final sco 26-20.

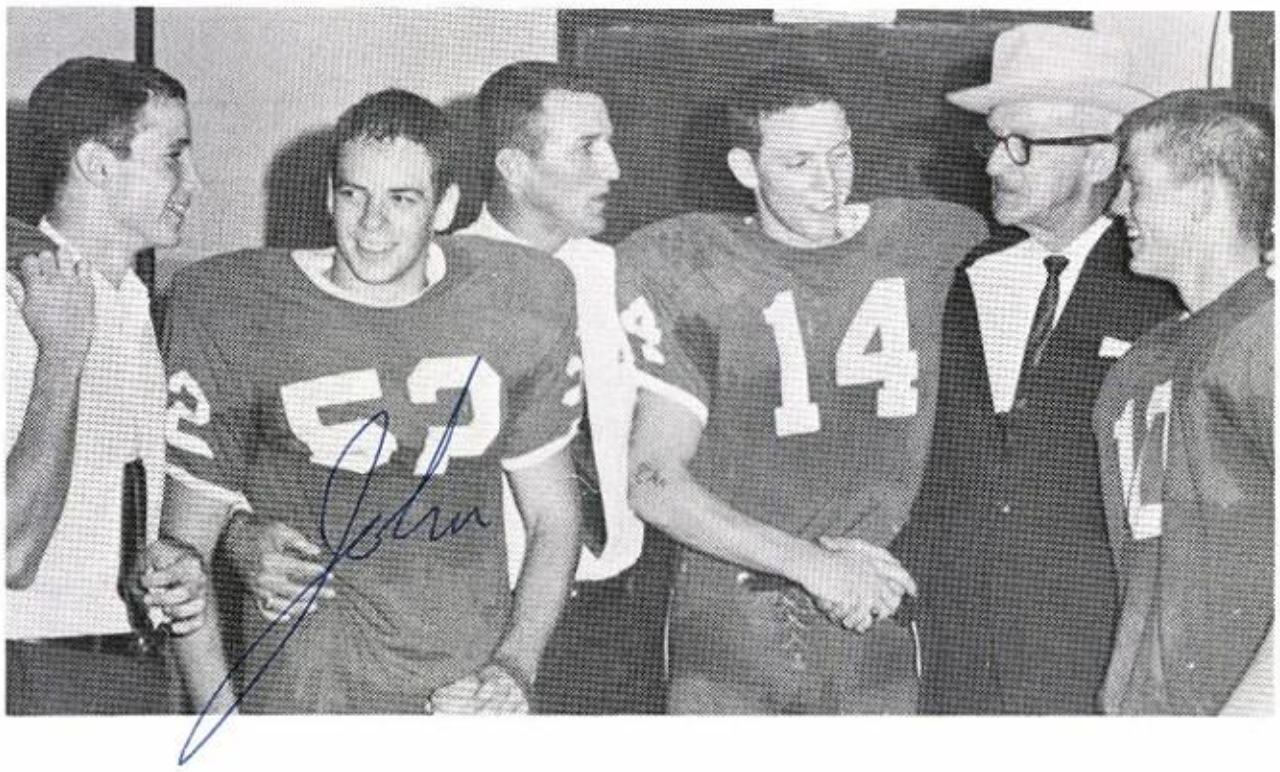
Happiness is a walk-out pep rally.

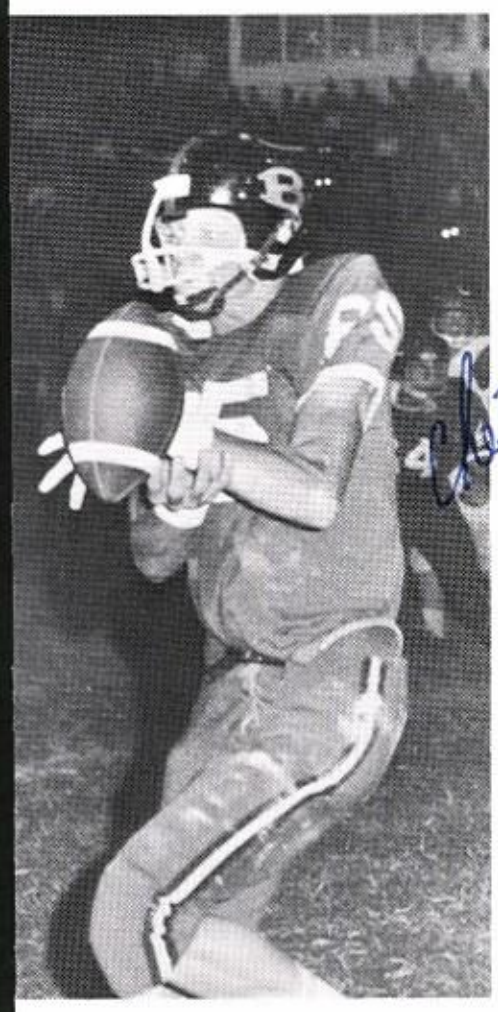


Powerful Bearcats stand up to the C-City Wolves.

Jim Yarnell helps to pour it on the C-City Wolves.

A proud coach explains what a real victory means to a loyal fan of the Bearcats.





McDaniel hauls in a pass against Colorado City.

Loyal fans observe their favorite team in action.

Autograph Page

Come on in - and we'll talk about it! Larry

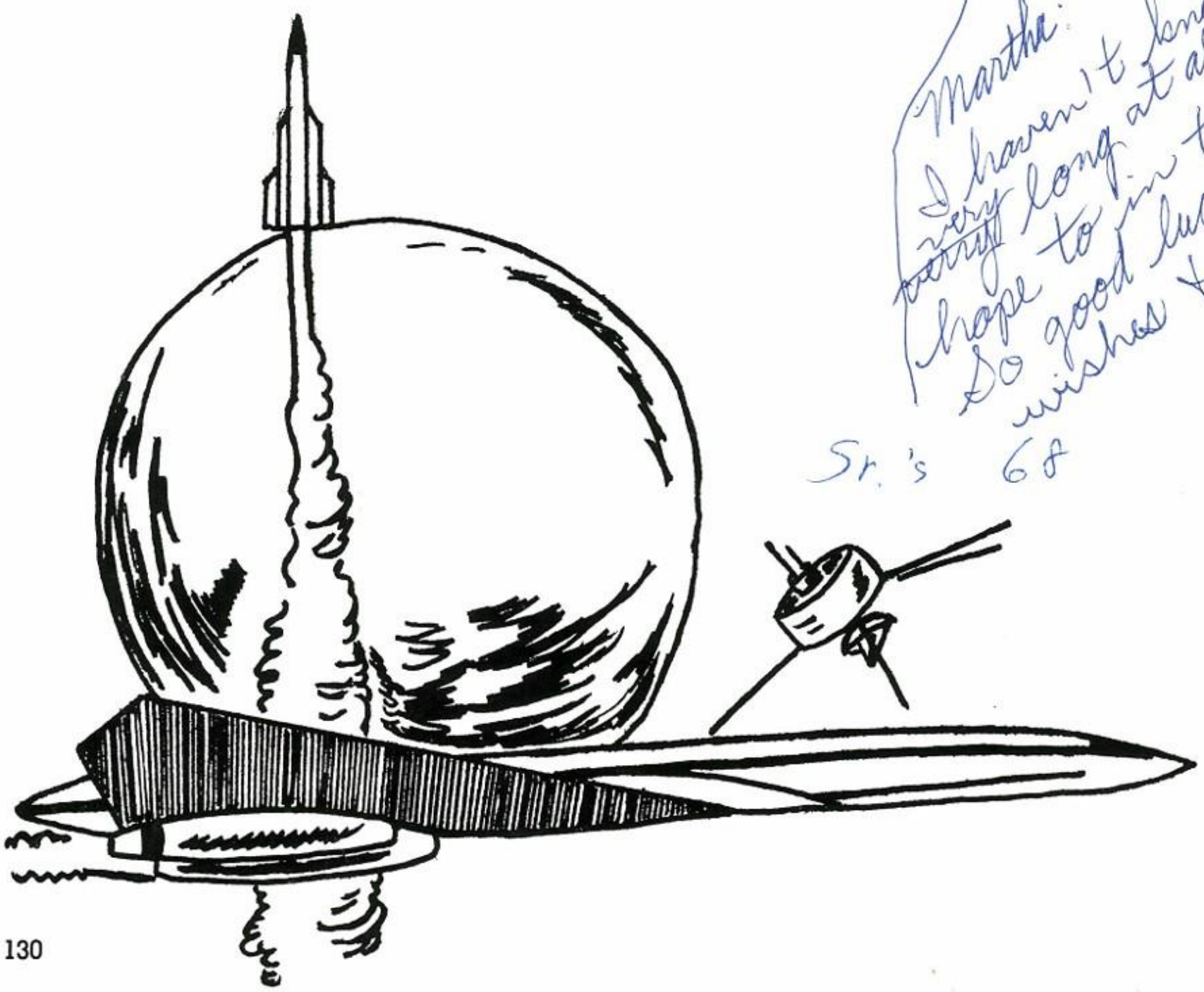
Martha,
I have really enjoyed knowing you, Candy. Ole B.N.S. won't be the same without ya, 'll! Best of luck in the future! Love ya. Candy

Phi Beta Kappa Tegga!

Reserved for Sharon

Martha:
I haven't known you very long at all, but I hope to in the future. So good luck & best wishes & stay happy
Larry

Sr.'s 68



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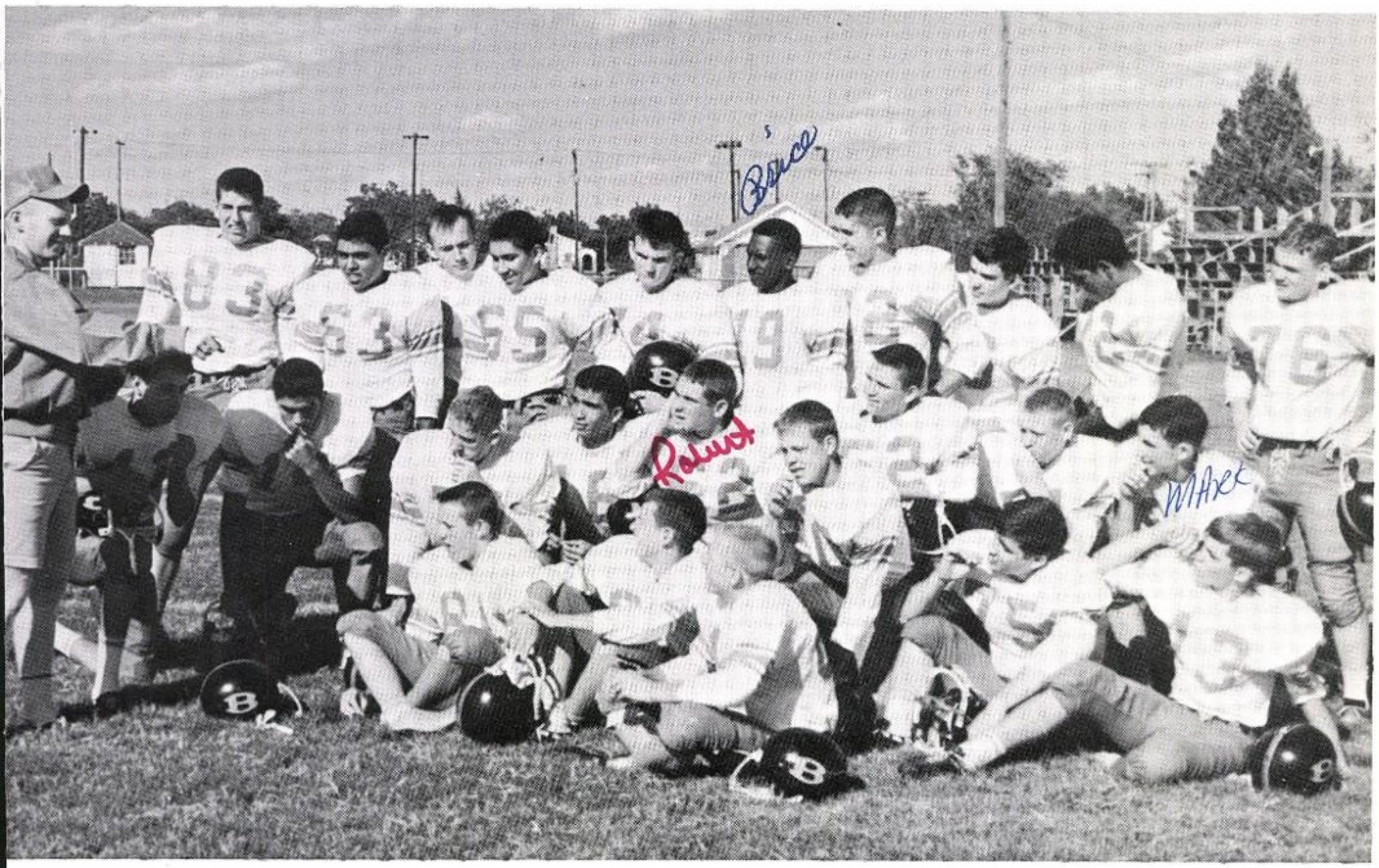

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STATISTICS

Ballinger	15	Brady	30
Ballinger	27	C-City	0
Ballinger	20	Winters	6
Ballinger	0	San Angelo Sophs.	12
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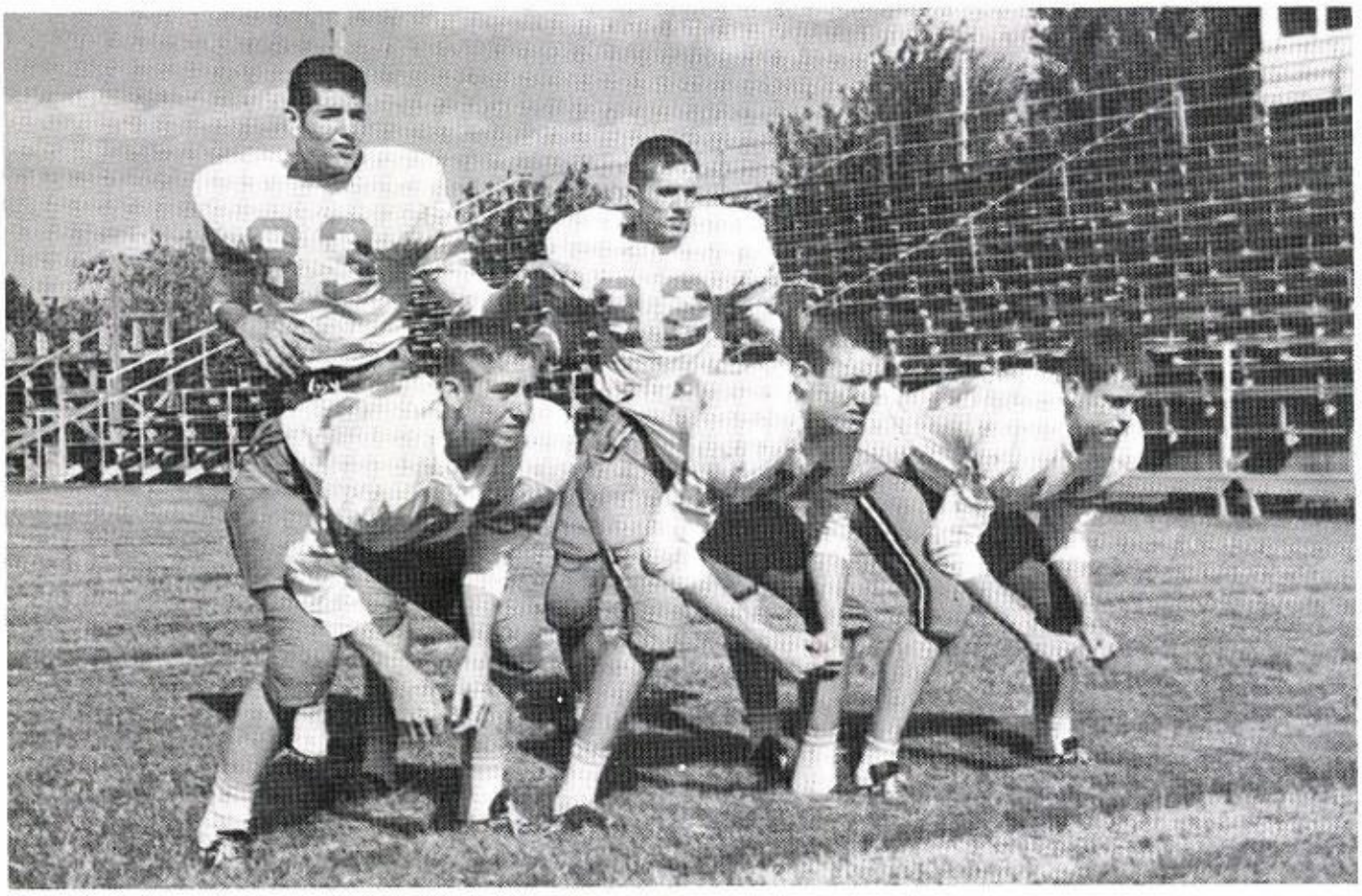
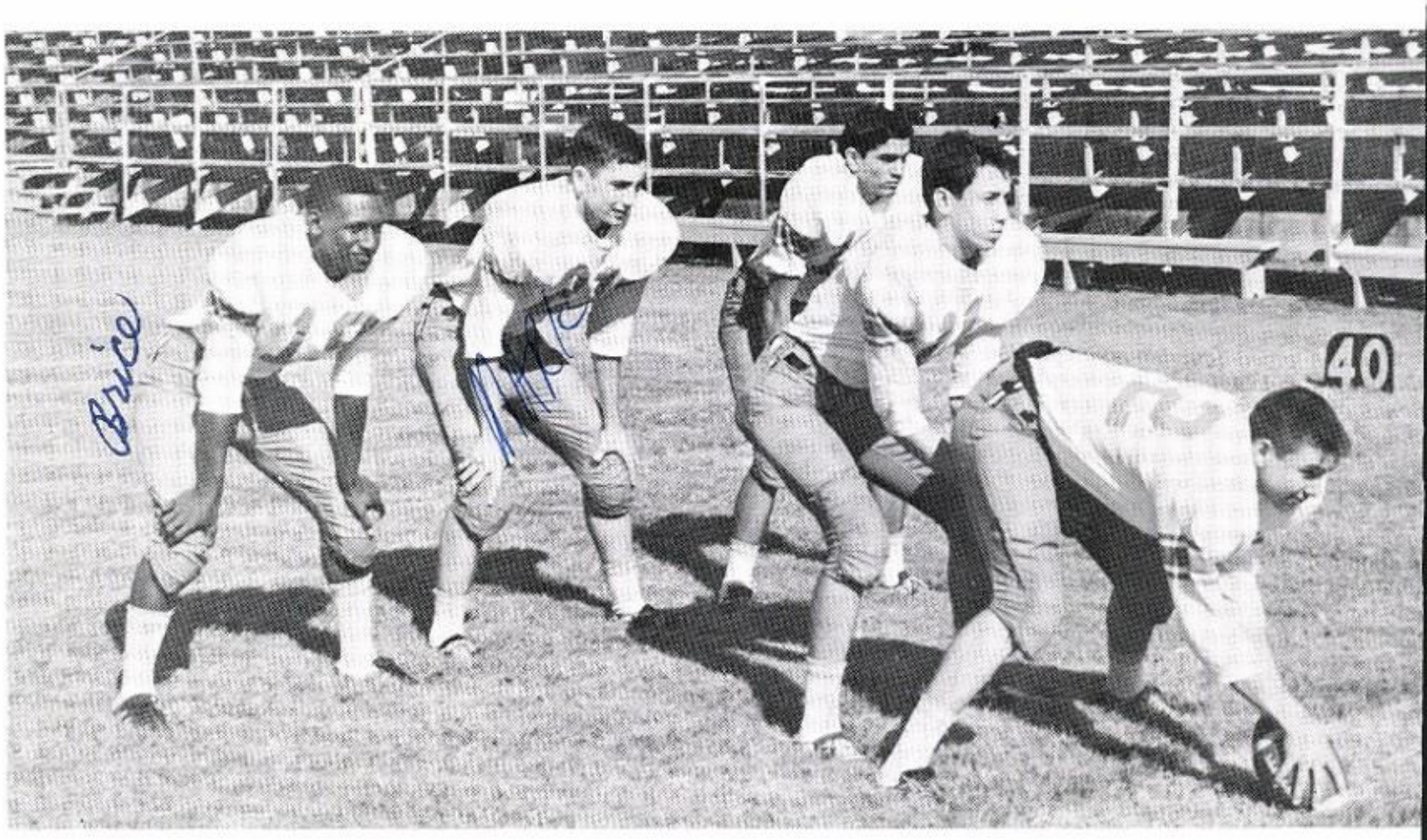
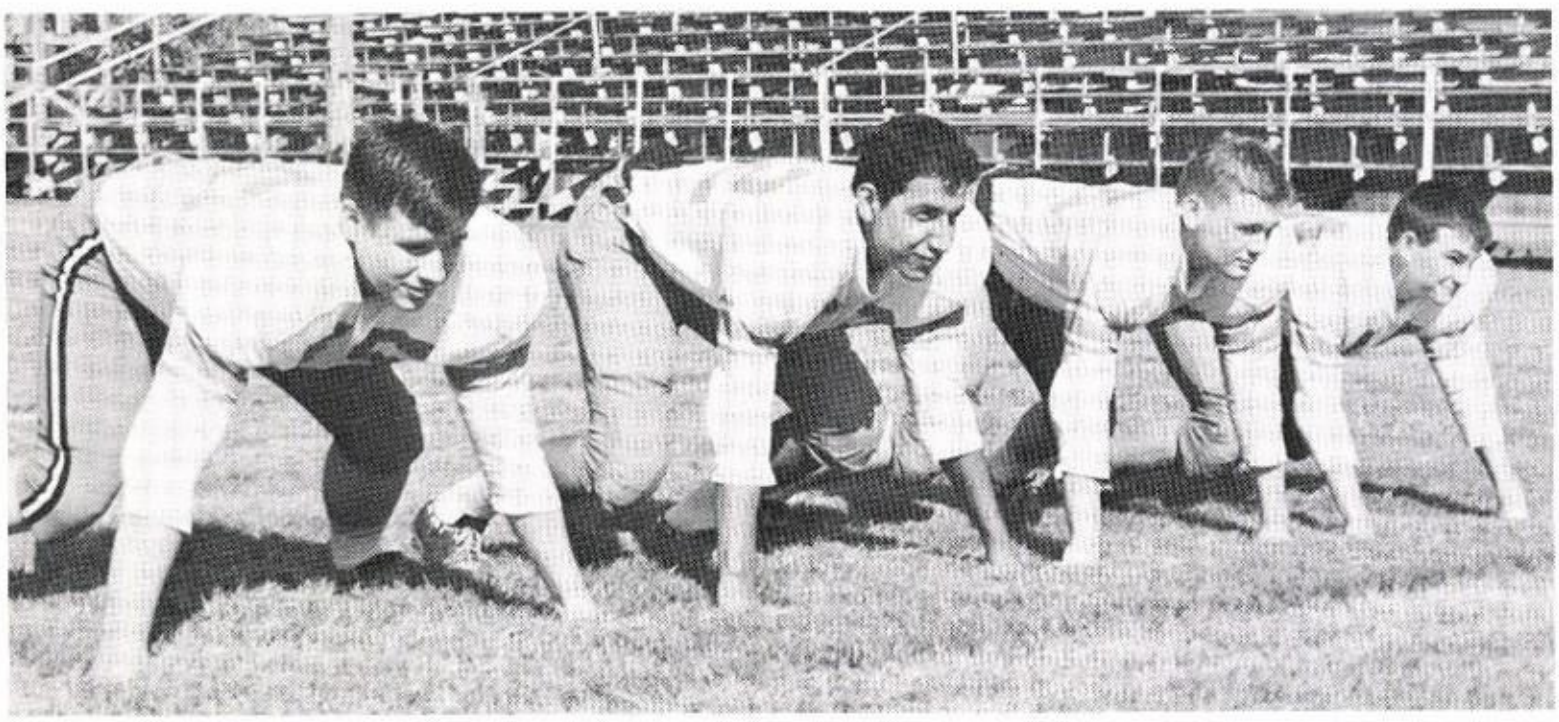
Ballinger	13	Robert Lee	6
Ballinger	14	C-City	14
Ballinger	12	Eden Varsity	7

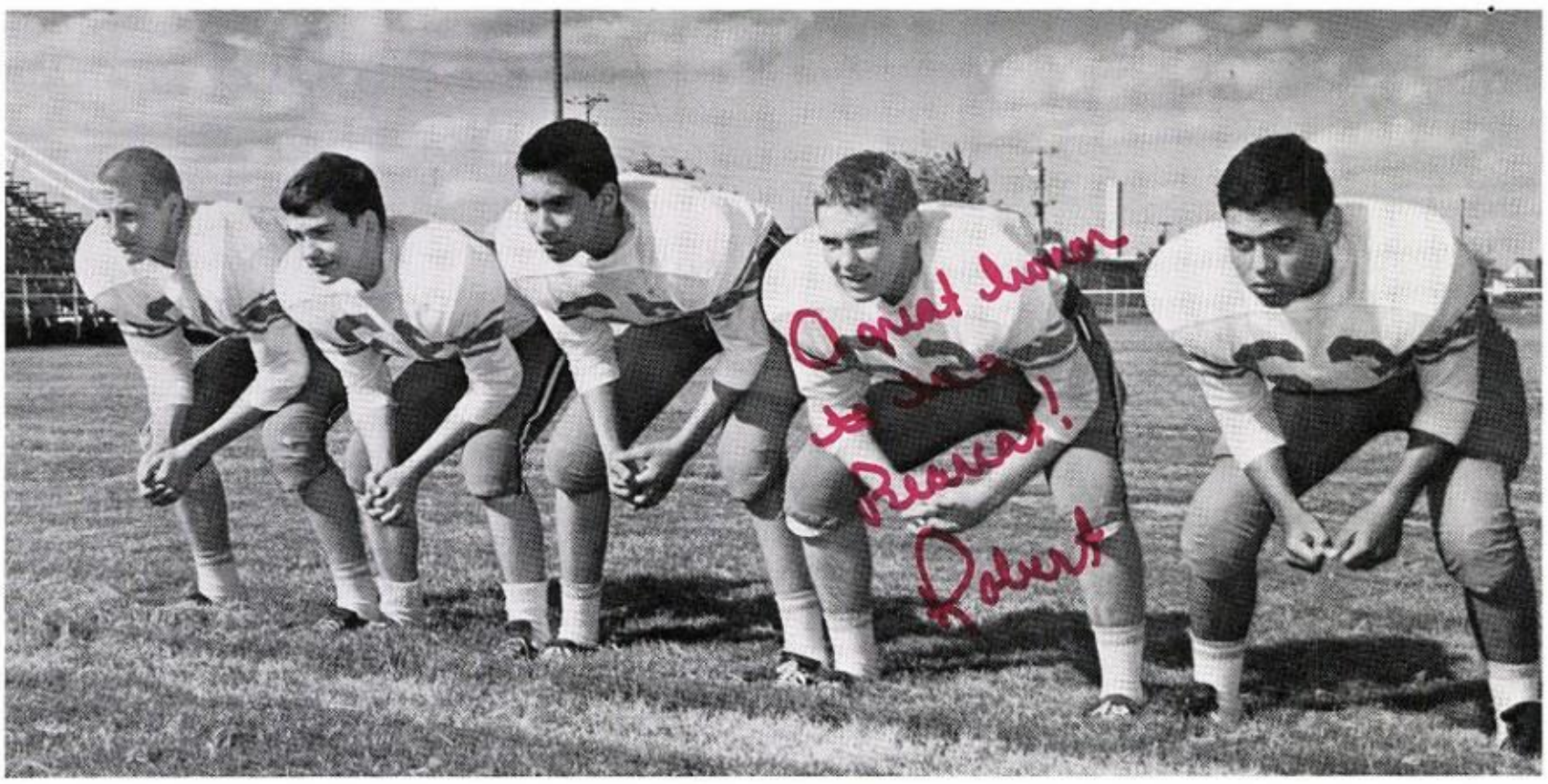


Front Row: Weldon Barron, Billy Don Lowe, Jack Farmer. Back Row: Jesse Martinez, Bishop Powell.





Joe Baird, Jerome Garcia, Howard Taff, John Gunyon.



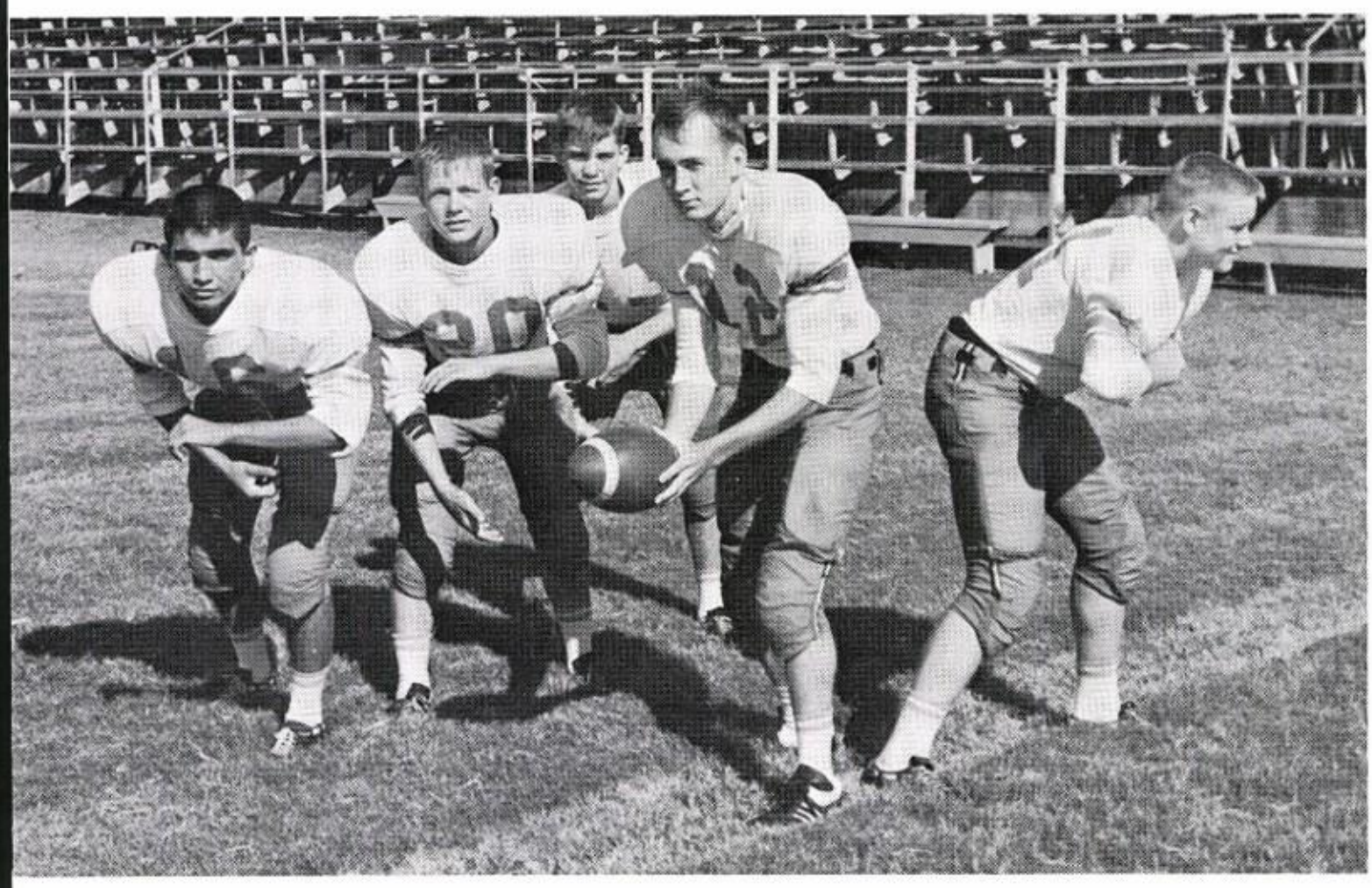
Left to Right: Freddie Lippe, David Parrish, Lupe Picon, Robert Booth, Joe Perez.

Left to Right: Brice Jernigan, Mark Travis, Jimmy Gomez, Joe Mendiola, William Lombard.

Martha,

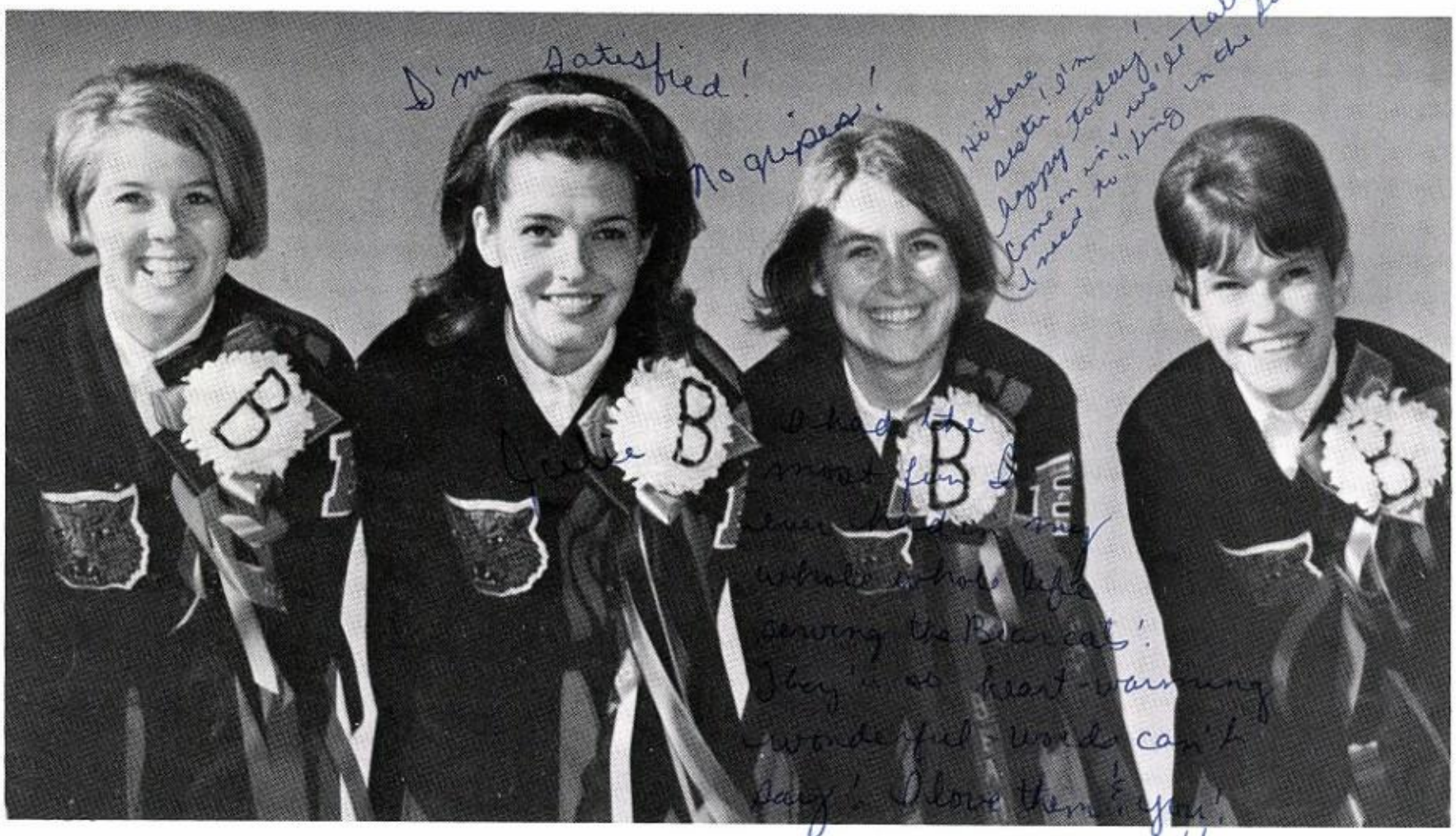
You are a great friend + neighbor. I hope the best for you next year. Martha I don't think I could want any other person as a neighbor.

Love Ya
Mark

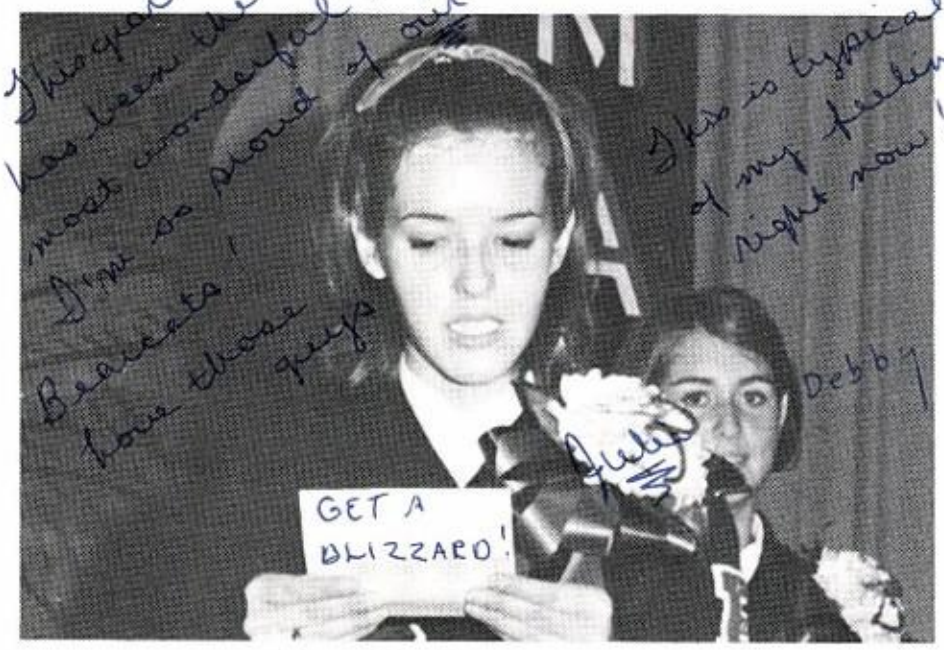


Left to Right: Lorenzo Pena, Roy Brown, David Yarnell, Zane Beck, Jesse Hopper.

Cheerleaders



Head - Julia Jones
Senior - Debby Legg
Junior - Shirley Middleton
Sophomore - Larua Jones



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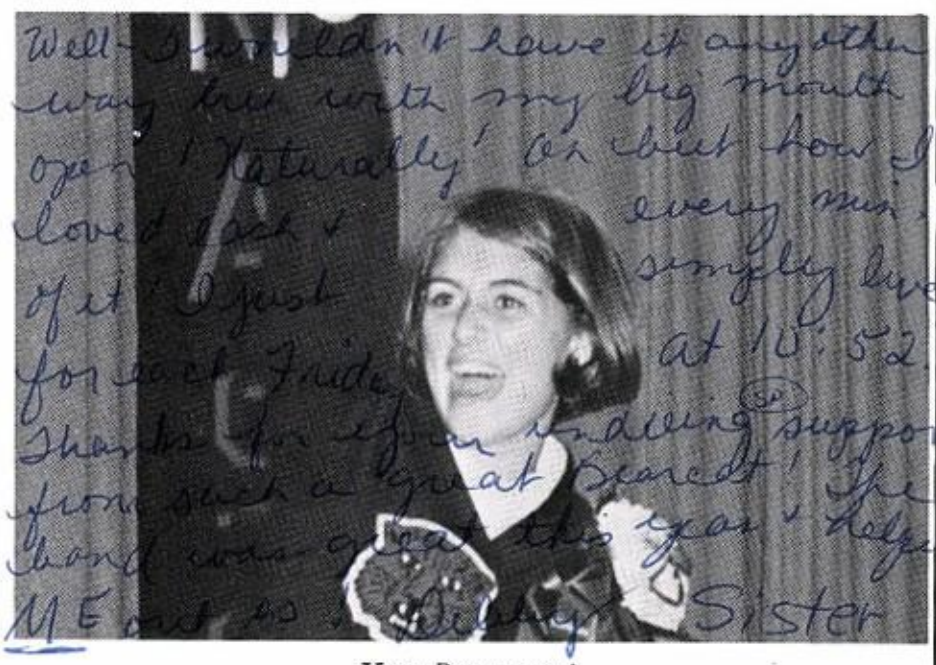

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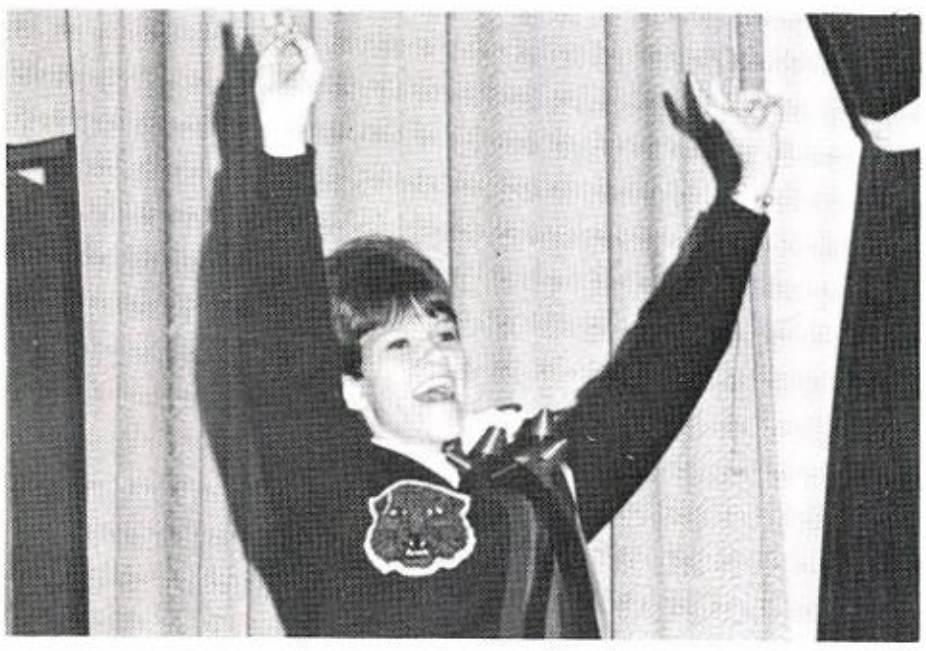

Victory!

Go Big Red!

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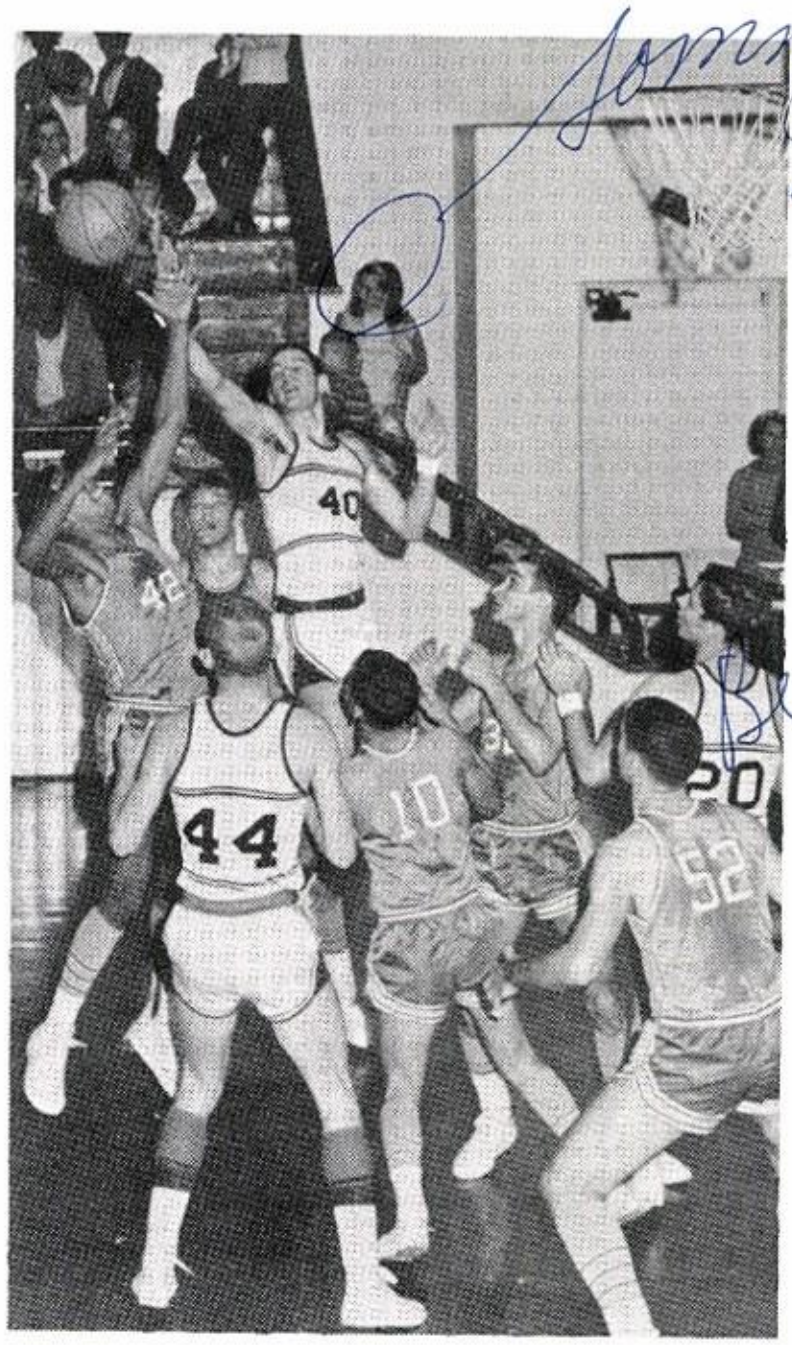
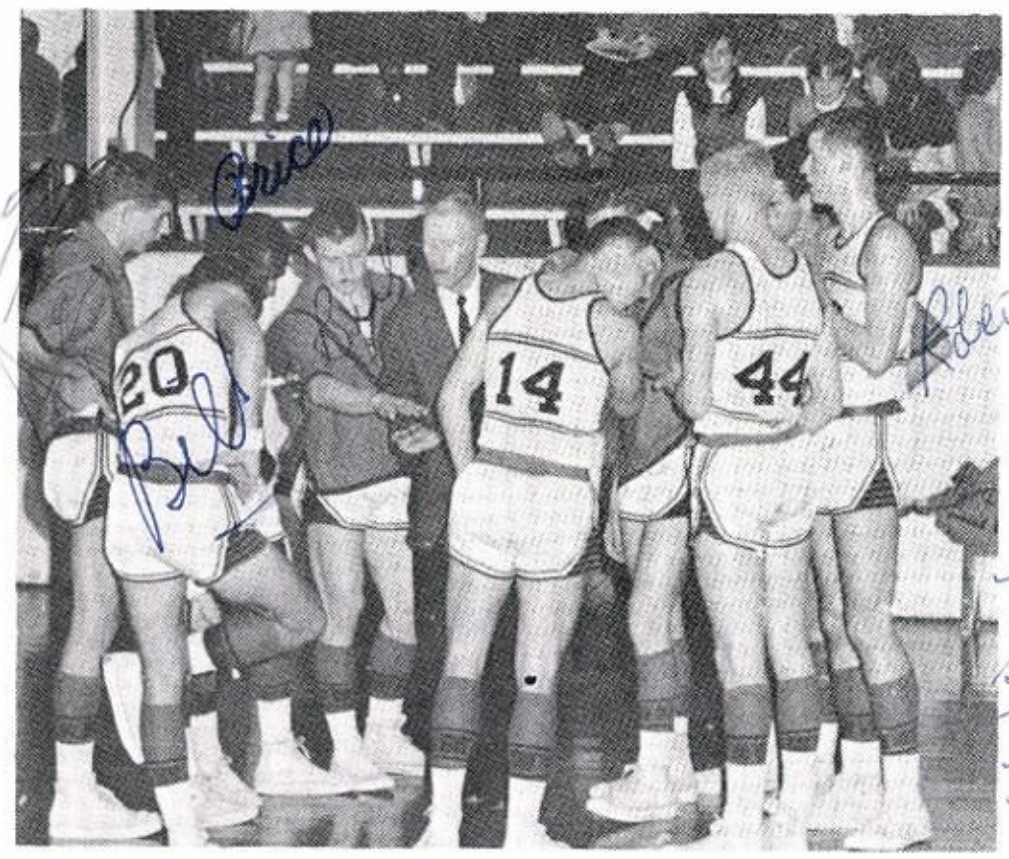




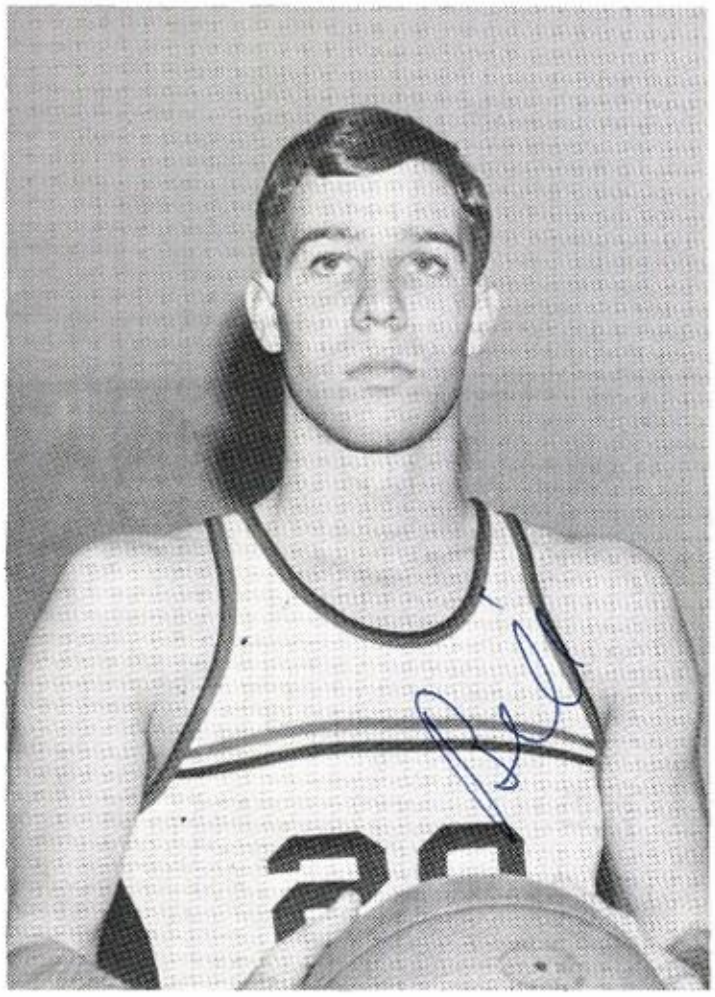
Martha,

You're so dear & special to me! I love you so! I'll never forget our pep rallies & how you beat the heck out of the ole drums! And everytime I looked up in the balcony I saw you yelling your lungs out. You little rocket you! I enjoyed those things so - that's what I'll miss so about B.H.S. I'll try my best to come home for 'em - if I don't - I'll yell all the way from Dallas & hope the Bearcats hear me! But - I doubt that - so! Come see me in Dallas & we'll drill over the boys! Gosh you made a perfect sister! Thanks for all the fun we've had & you showed me! Never ever forget all our good times! Remember that little trip to Rowena? Oh boy - them Rowena guys are something else! Well - I'll shut up for now - I'll see ya! Gosh - I'll miss you next year & I love you dearly! God bless you & yours & may he walk each step with you! Be good sister!

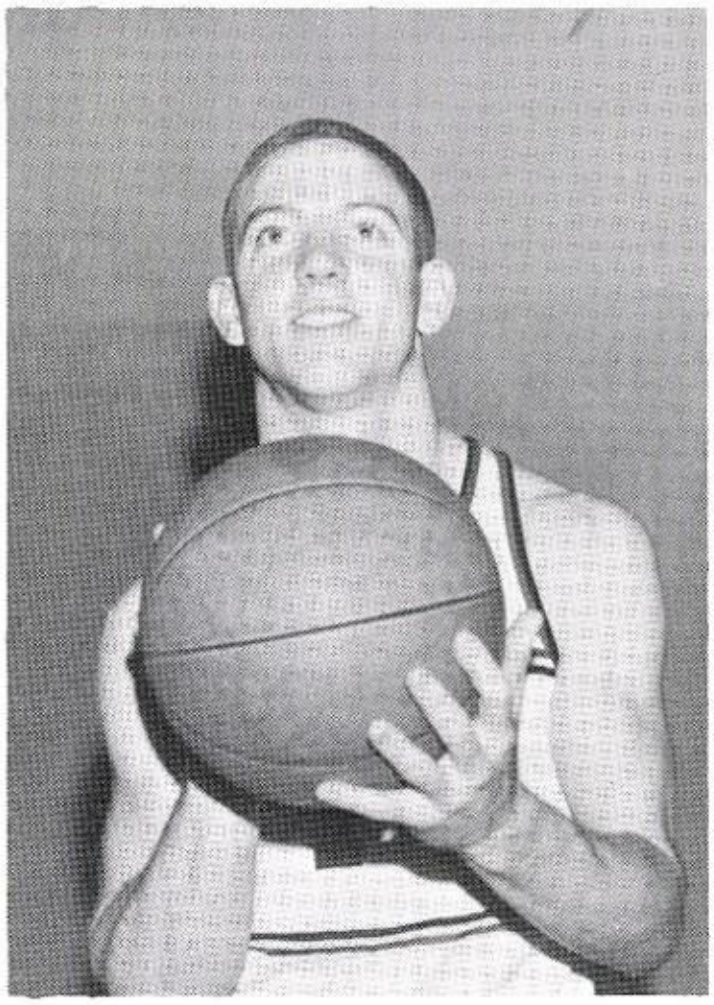
Love you! Debby

Just learned to print!

(sister)



Billy Hale



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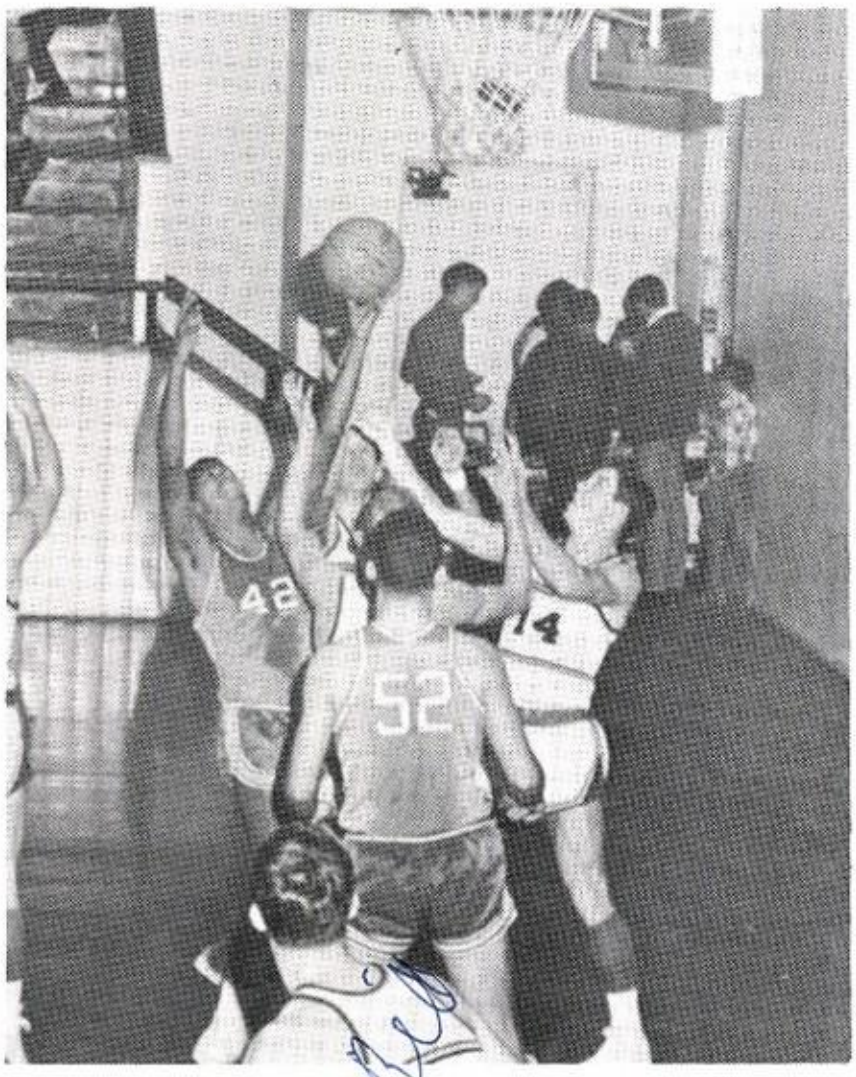
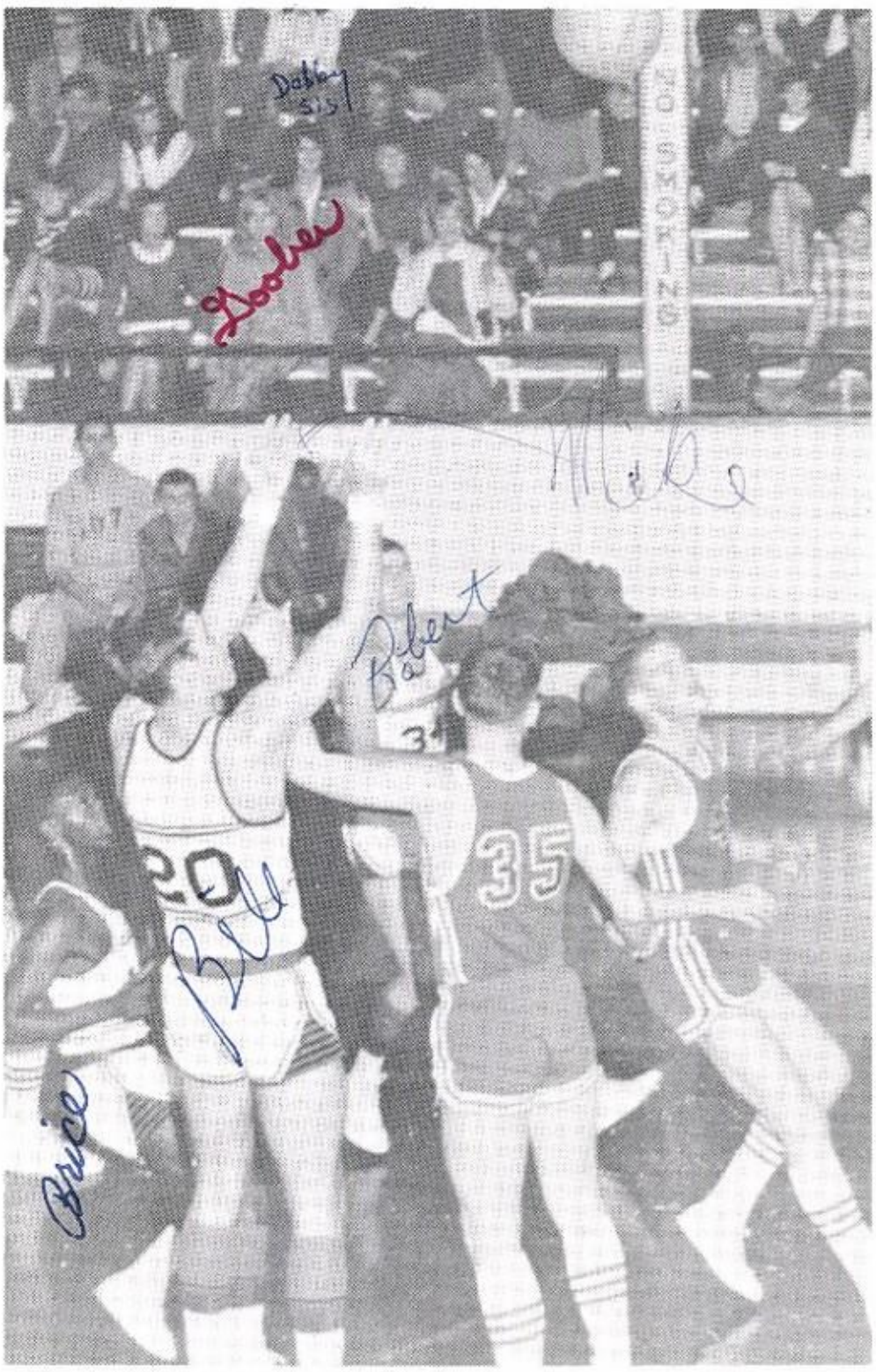


McDaniel fights for the rebound in the Coleman game.



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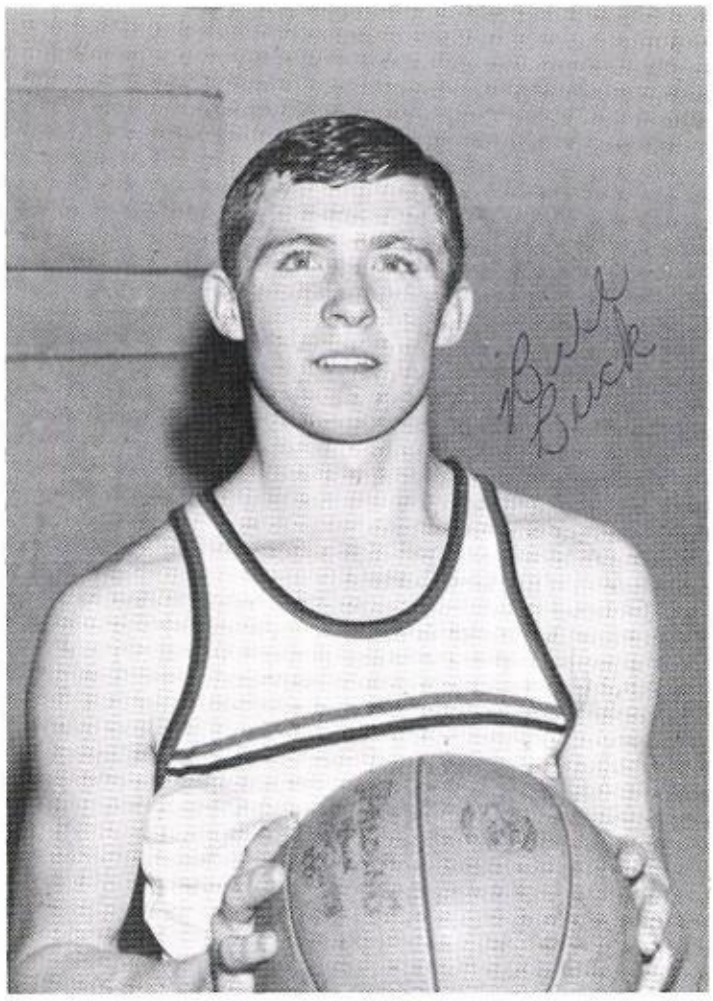

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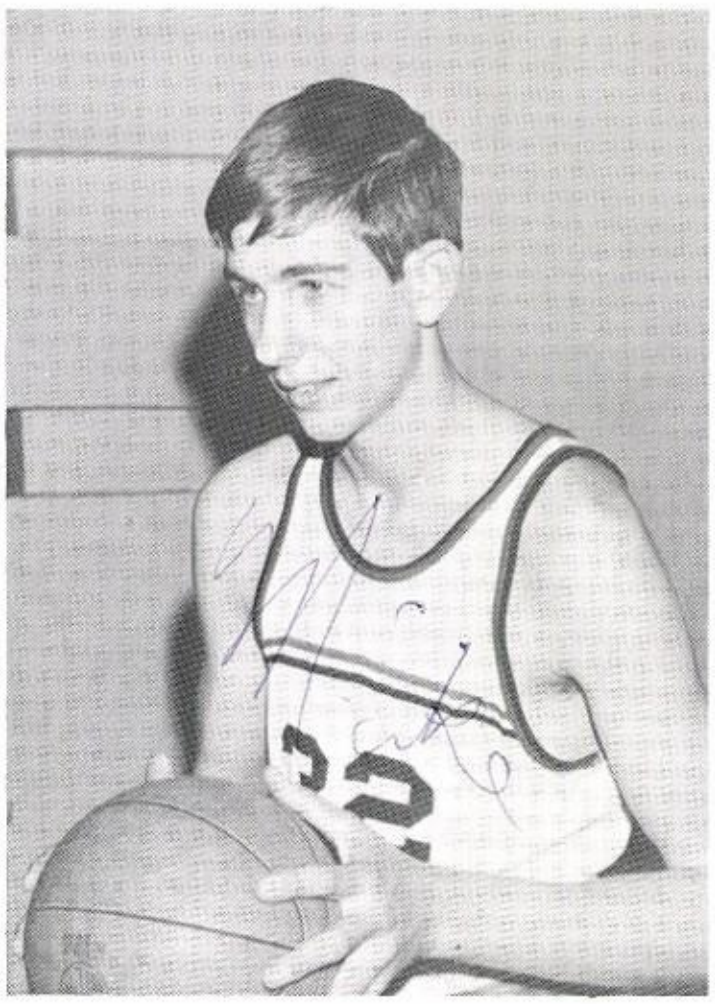
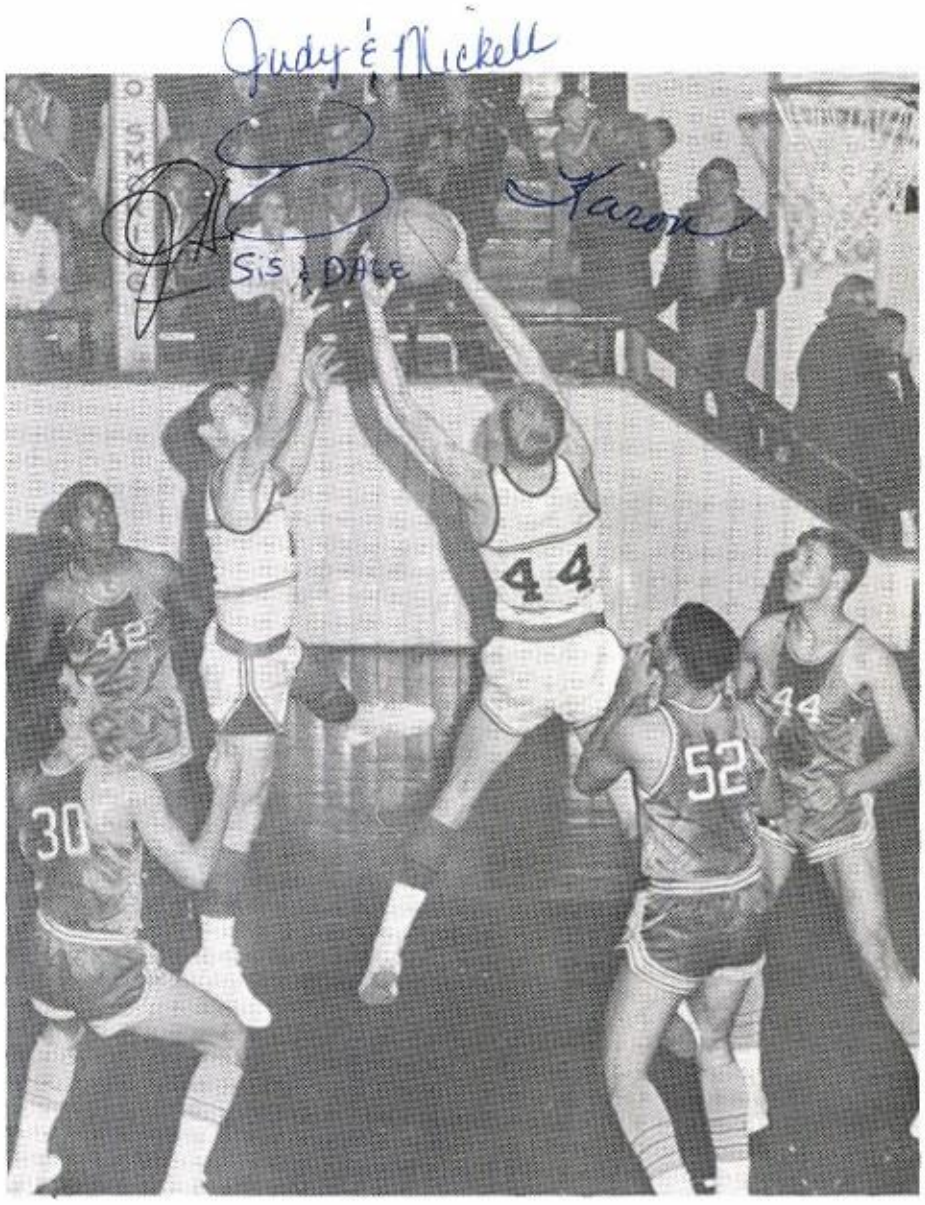
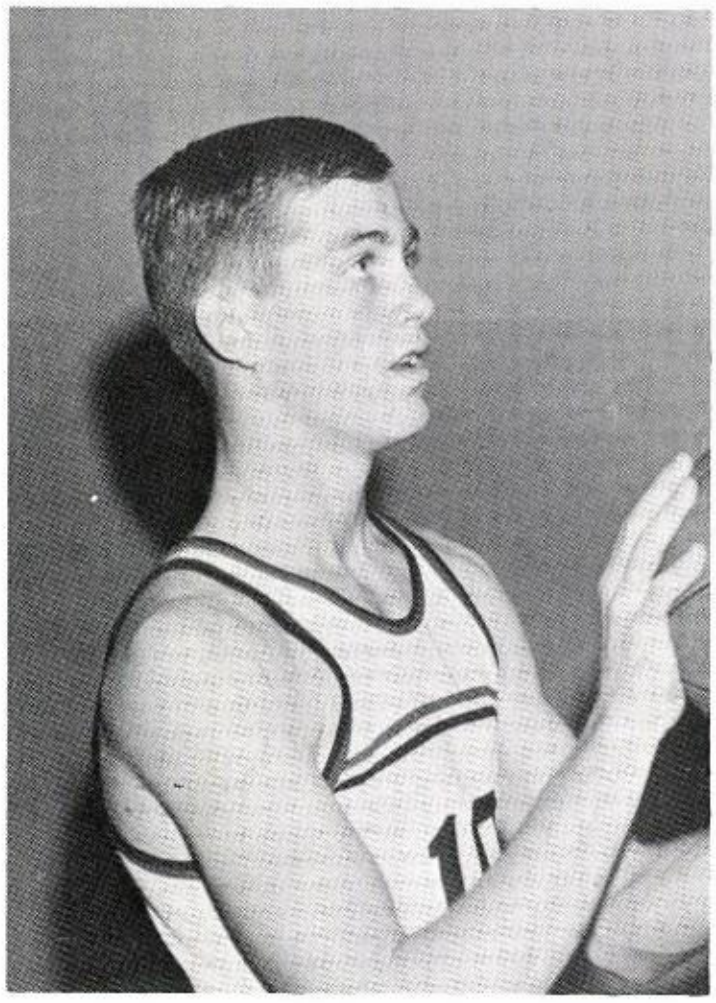


Mike Dankworth

McDaniel and McLarty fight for the rebound in the Coleman game.



Brice Jernigan shoots jump shot in Winters Game.



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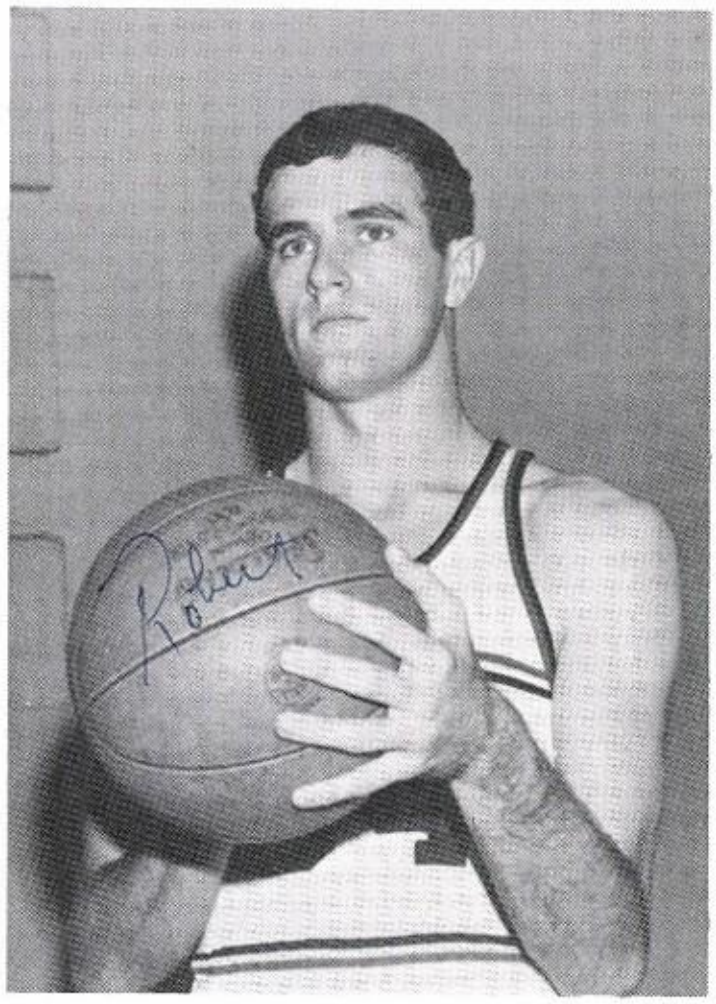
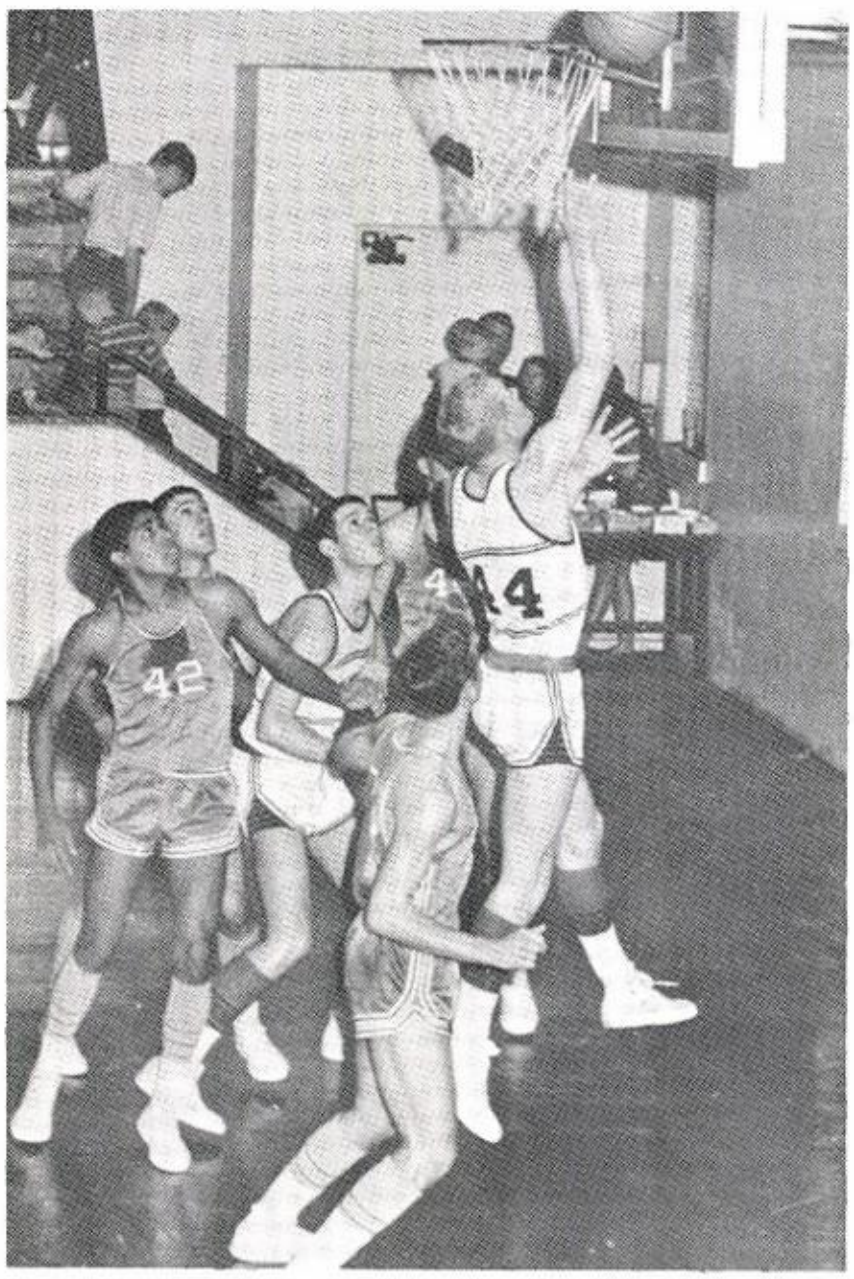
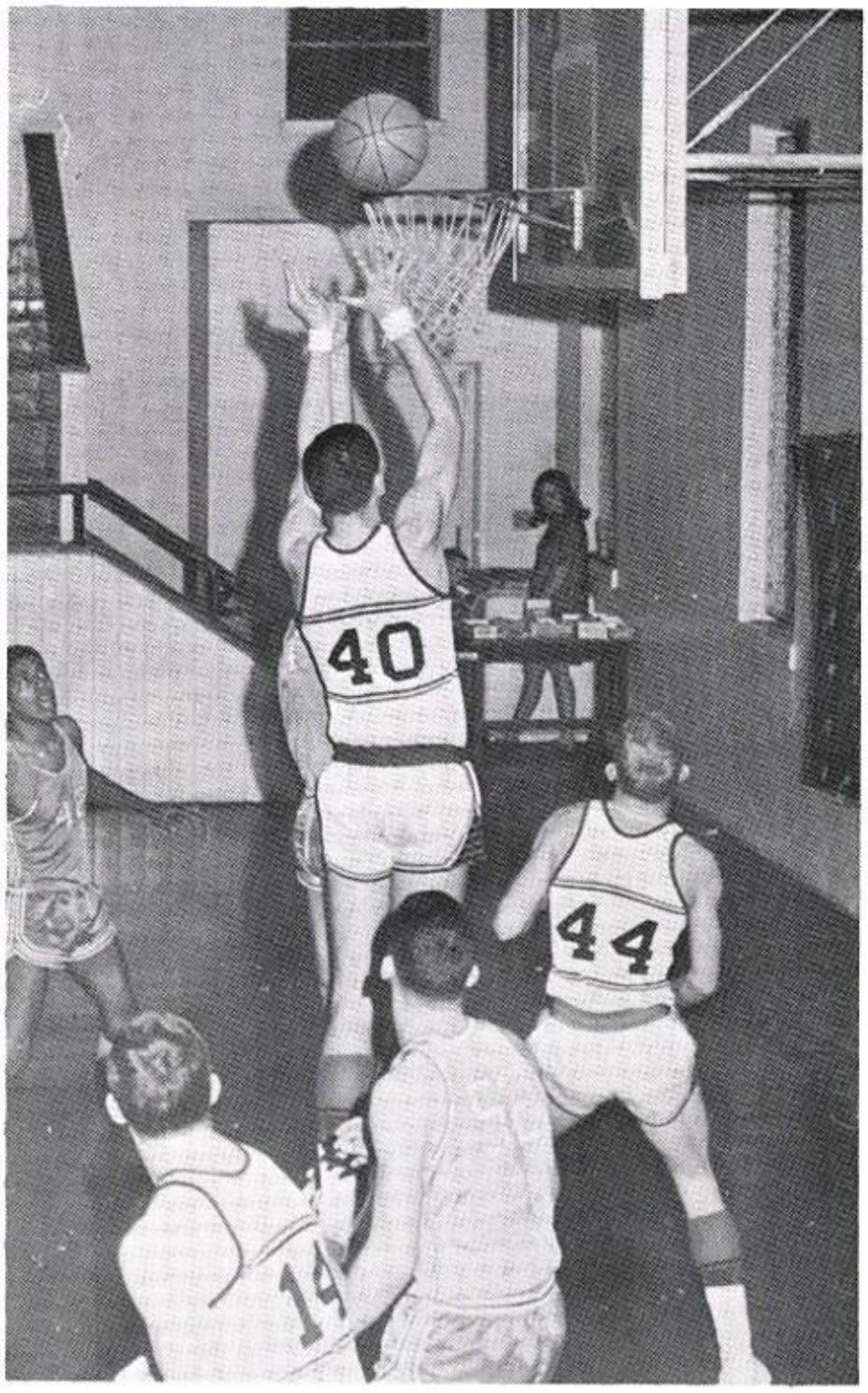


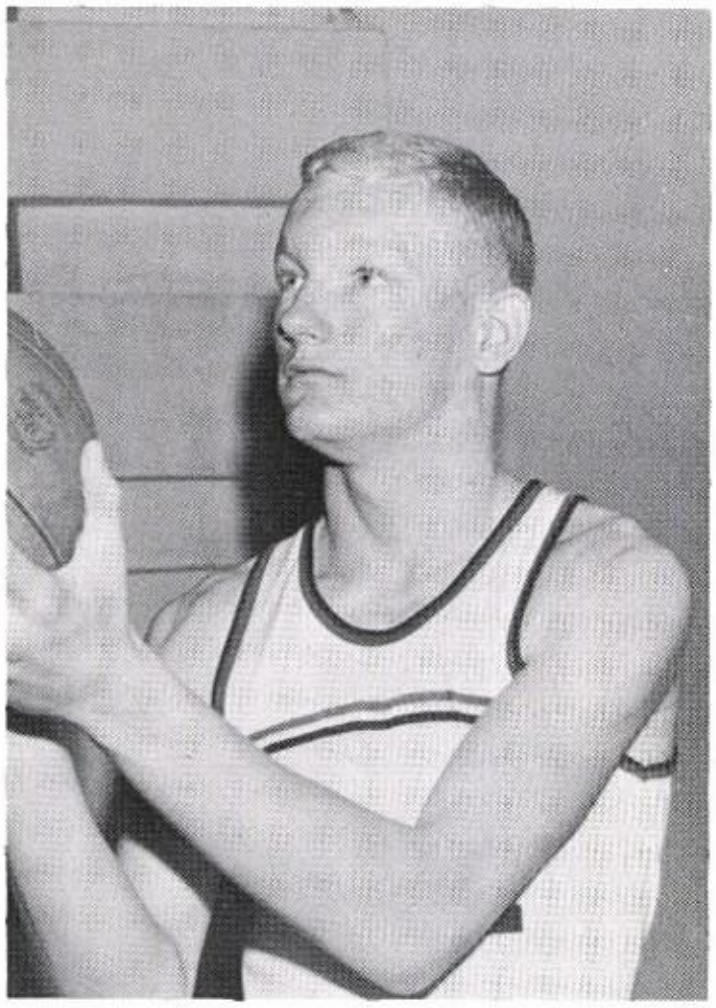
Robert Watts



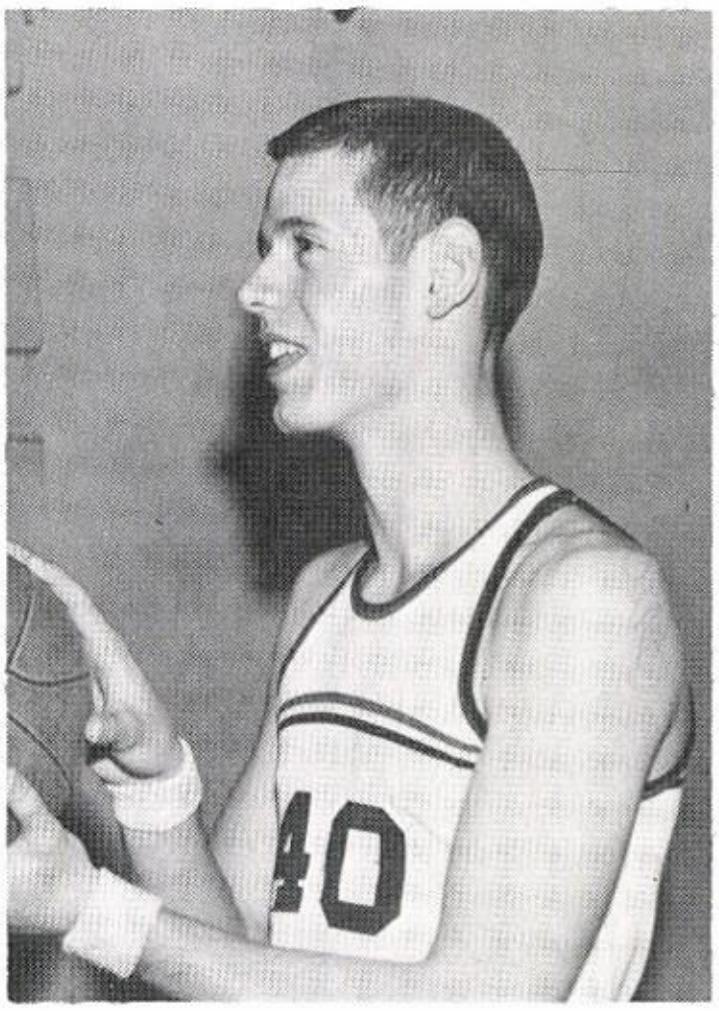
McDaniel goes in for layup in Coleman game.



D. Parrish shoots jump shot in Coleman game.



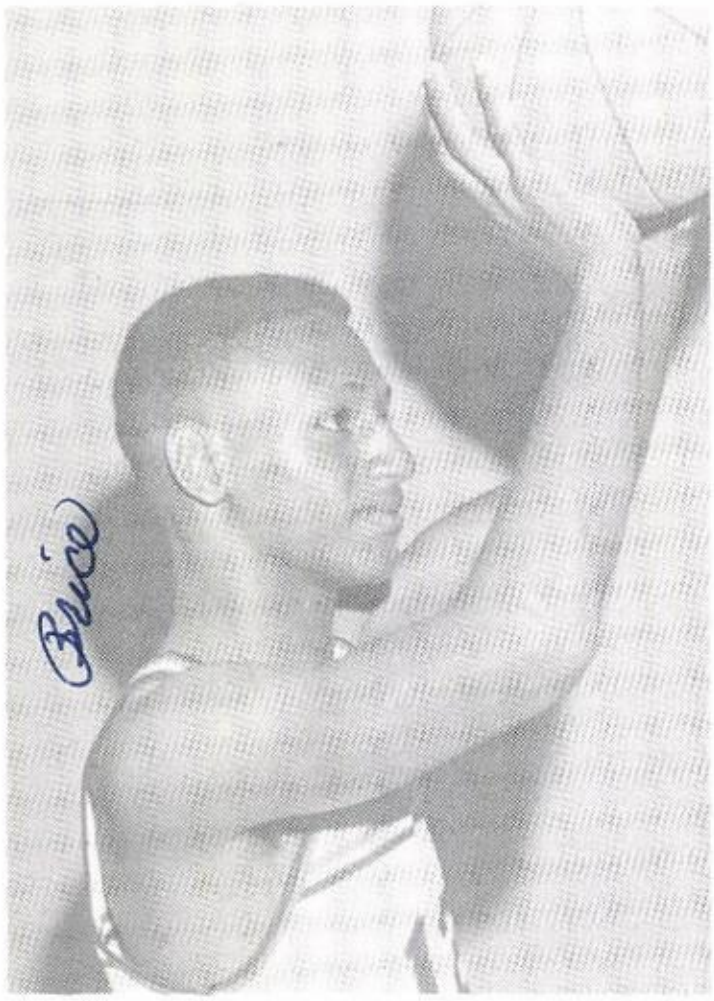
Howard McDaniel



Donny Parrish

D. Parrish rebounds in Coleman Varsity game.

McDaniel shoots jump shot against Winters.



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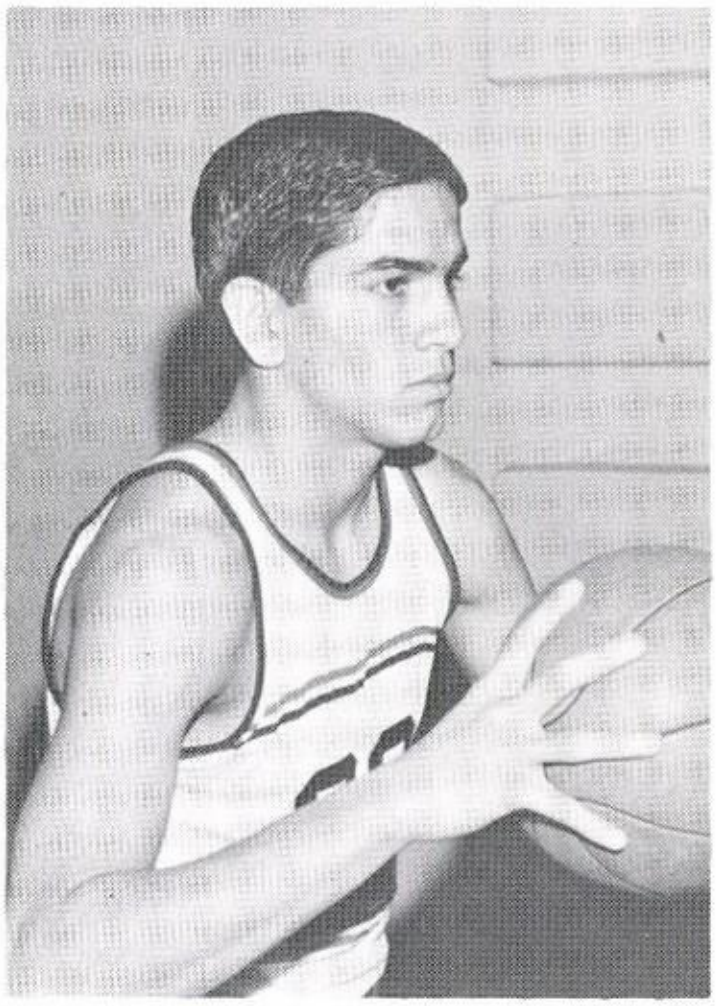
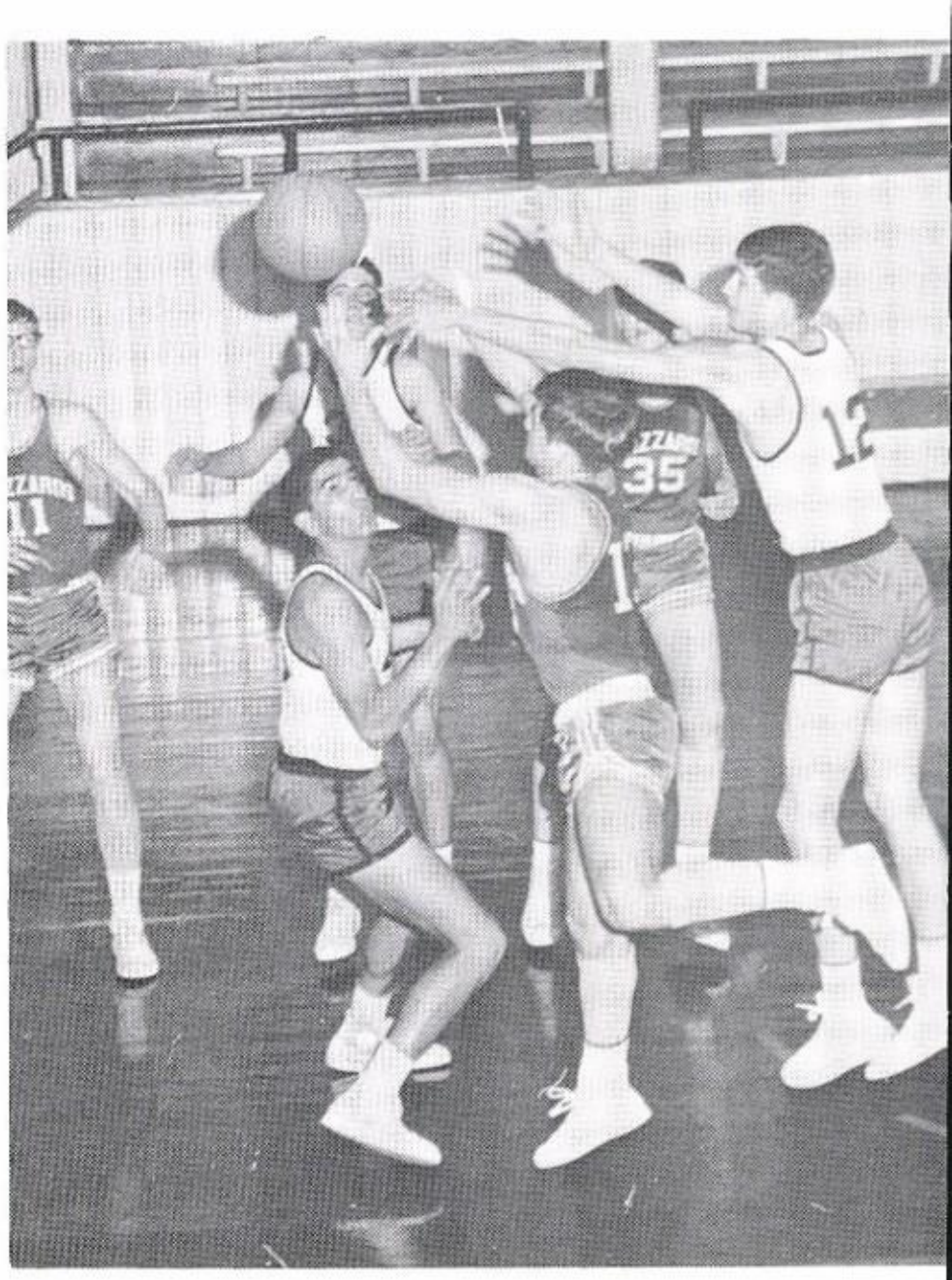
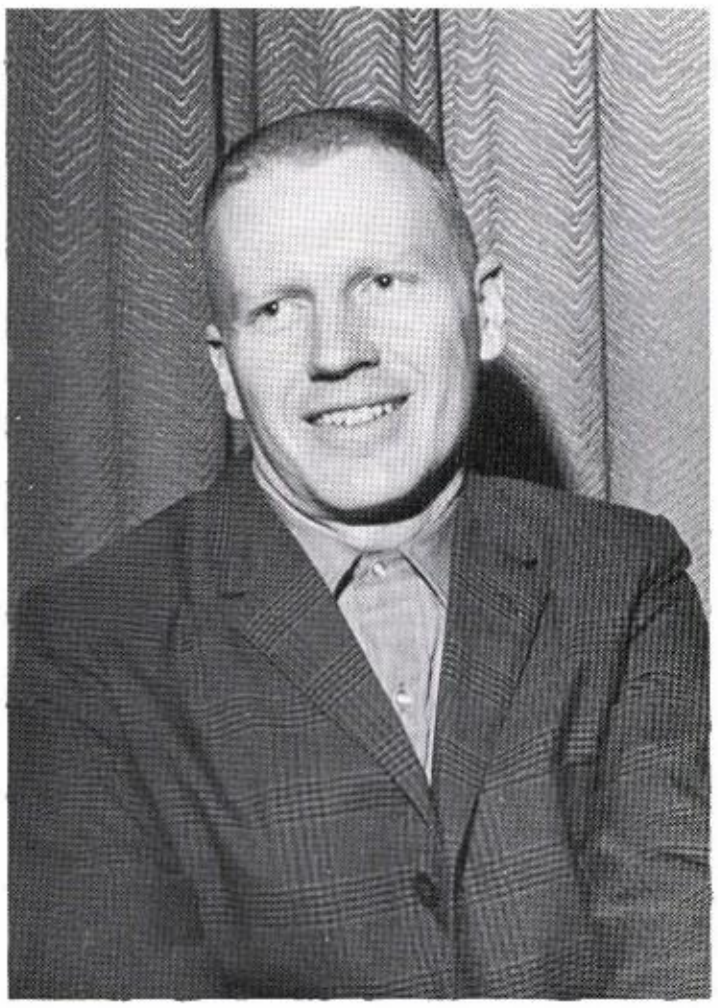


Jimmy Gomez

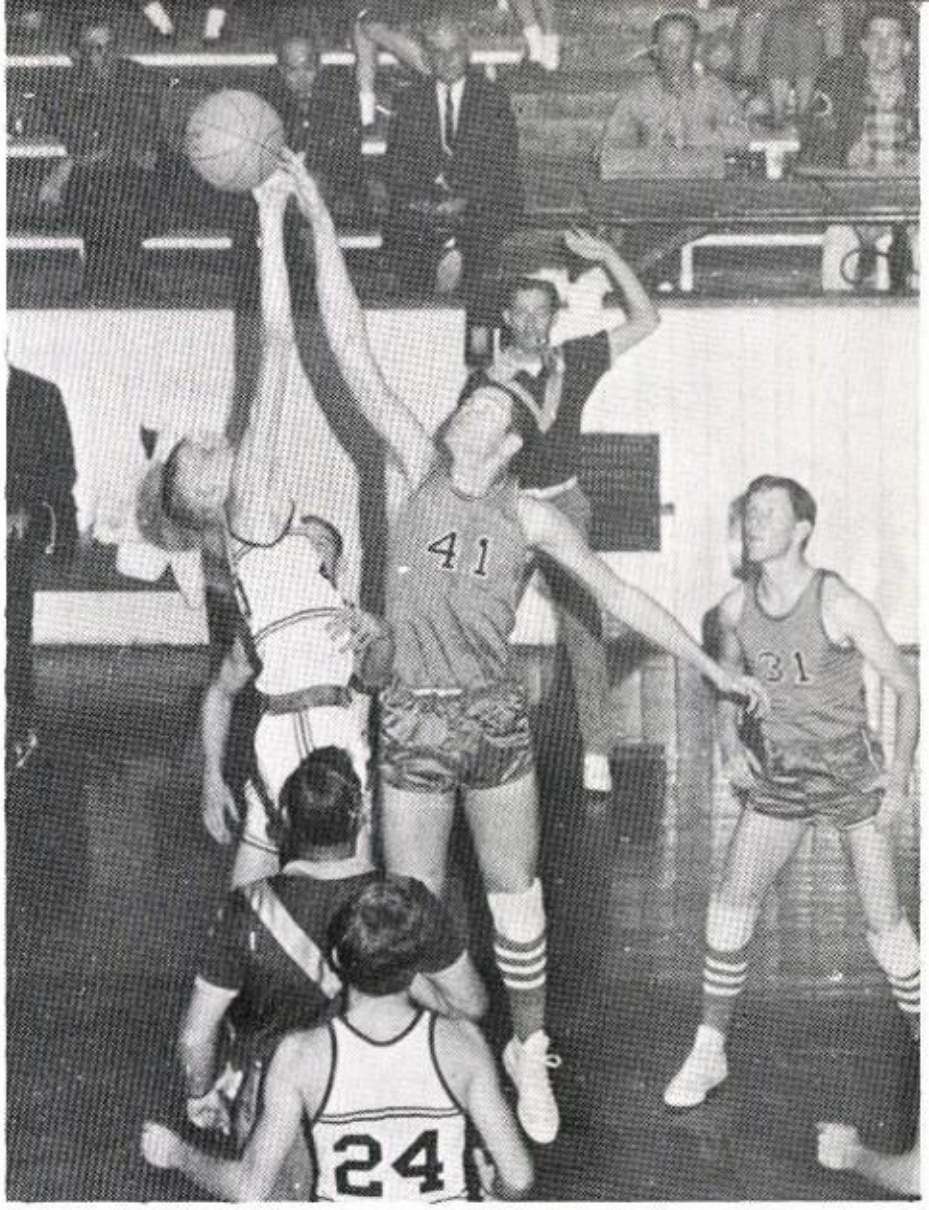
Robert Watts tries jump shot against Winters Varsity.



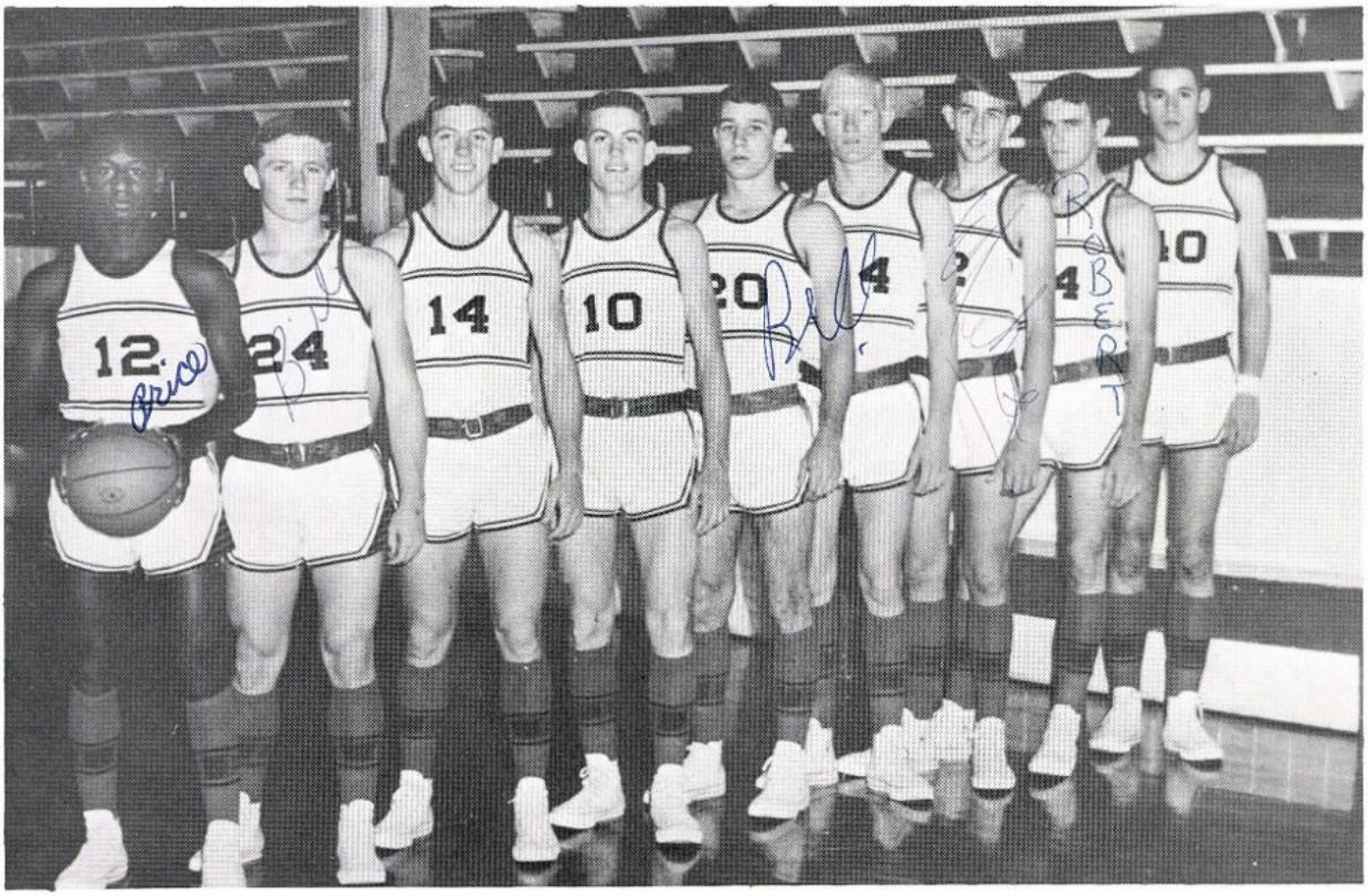
J. Gomez scrambles for the ball in Winters Junior Varsity game.



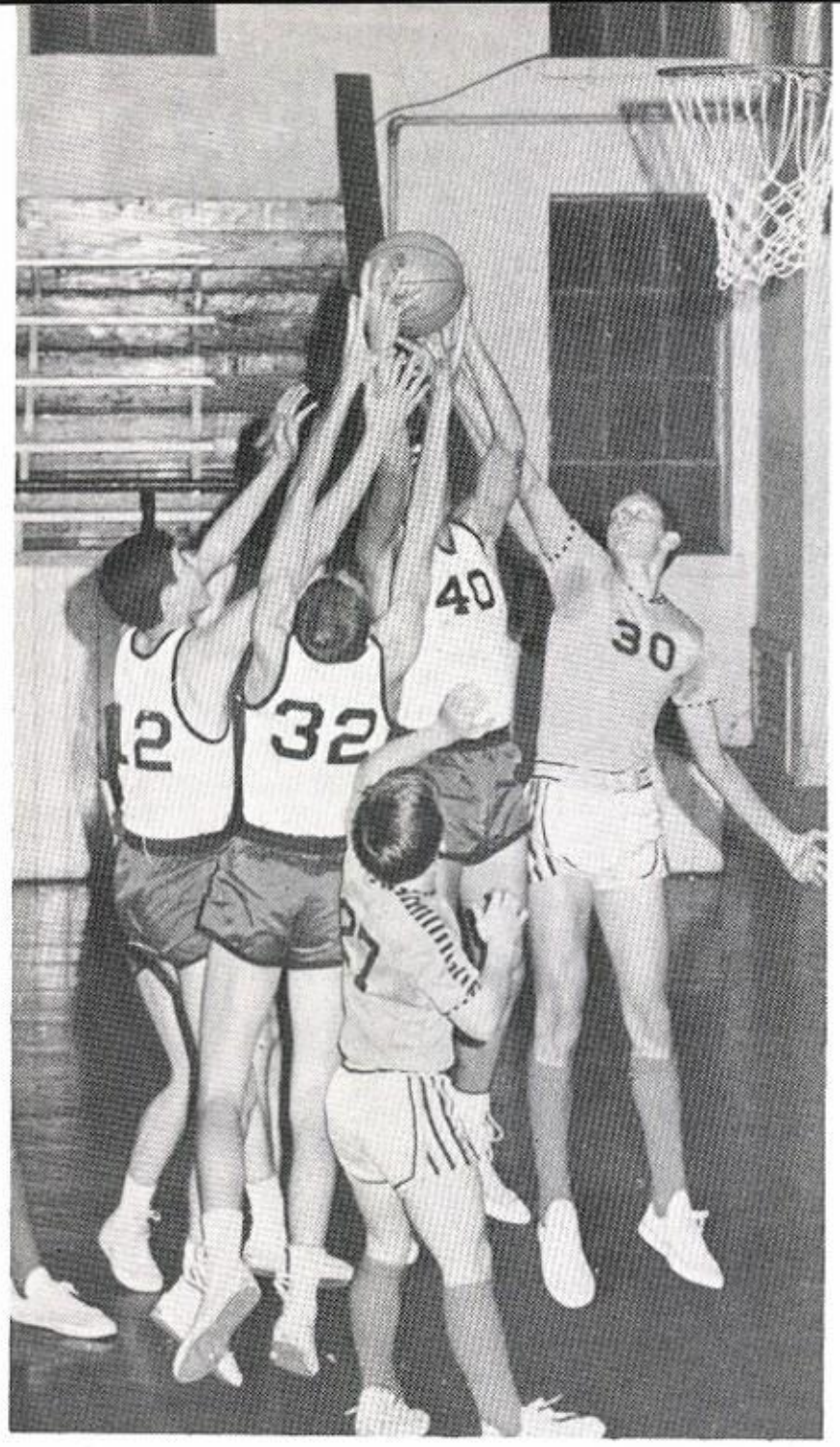
Coach Phillips



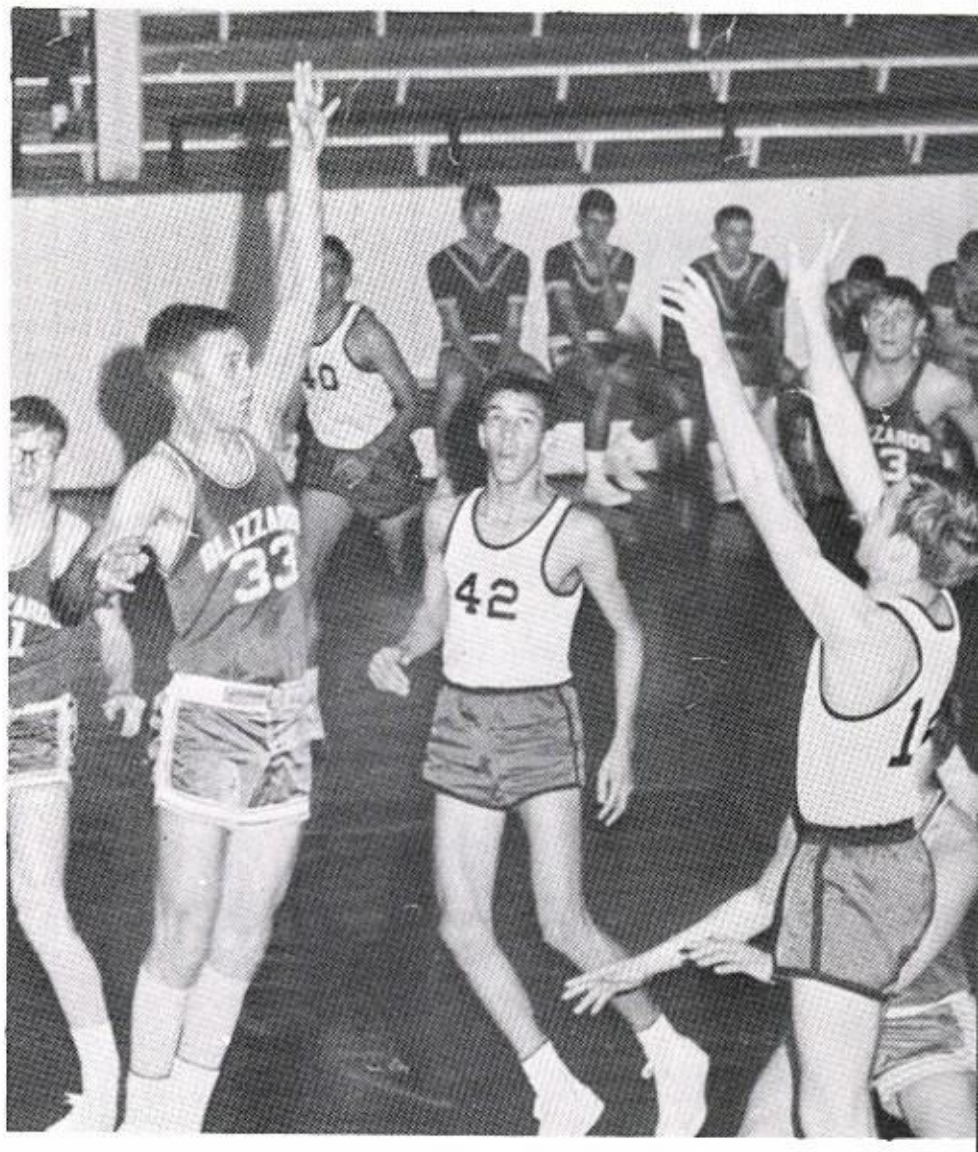
Steve Routh jumps high for the Bearcats in the Ballinger-Llano Varsity game.



B. Jernigan, B. Buchanan, S. McLarty, J. Yarnell, B. Hale, H. McDaniel, M. Dankworth, R. Watts, D. Parrish.

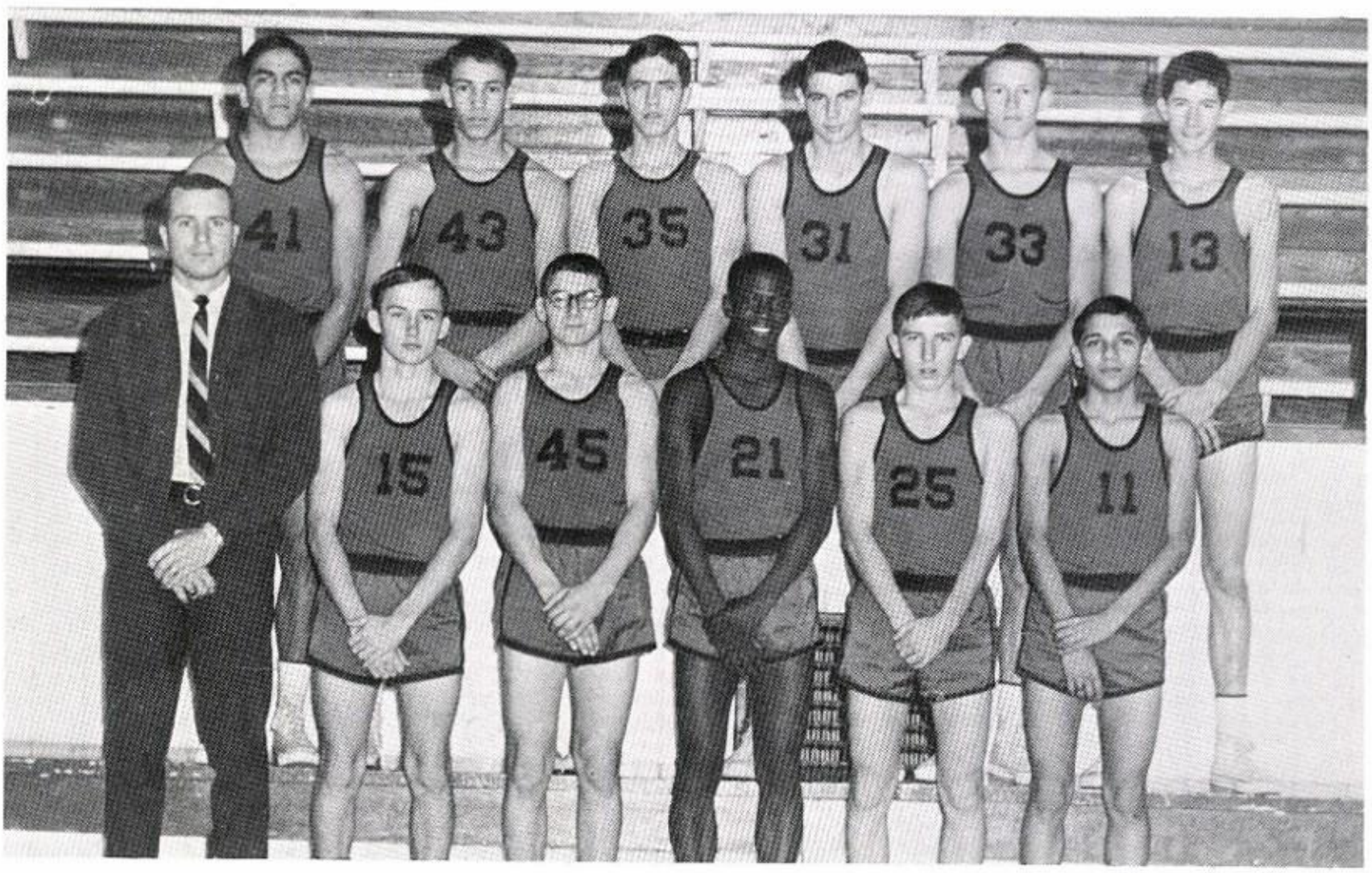


Three Bearcats fight for the rebound in the Brady Junior Varsity game.



Z. Beck shoots in Winters Junior Varsity game.

Jr. Varsity



Row 1: Coach Bonds, Z. Beck, D. Paske, F. Field, S. Bickle, P. Garcia. Row 2: J. Gomez, J. Mendiola, B. Powell, K. Sherman, B. Lowe, C. Hubbel.

JUNIOR HIGH

Junior High students are looking forward to becoming High School students. When they reach the high school level they are developing from children to young men and women. They will have a more serious outlook on life and will have more responsibilities. They also will begin to plan for their future.

Dear Students,

It is with pleasure that I write these words to you as students and faculty of Ballinger Junior High School.

There are many problems and responsibilities ahead of you, and it is my sincere hope that the preparation that you are now making will be sufficient for the tasks ahead.

Thanks, to each of you for your cooperation and helpfulness during this year.

Sincerely,

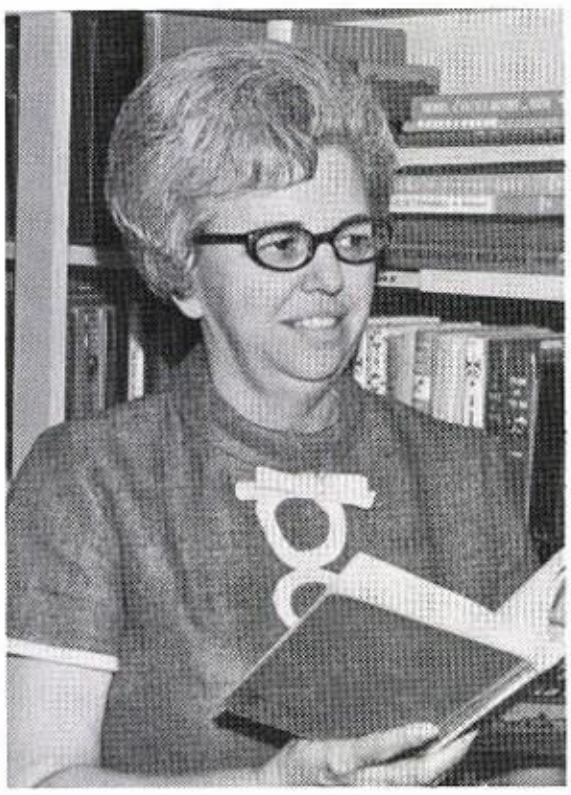
I. B. Funderburk

Mrs. R. W. Talbott
English
B. A., North Texas
Hobby: reading

Mrs. Carl Gottshalk
P.E., Health
Sul Ross
Hobby: sailing

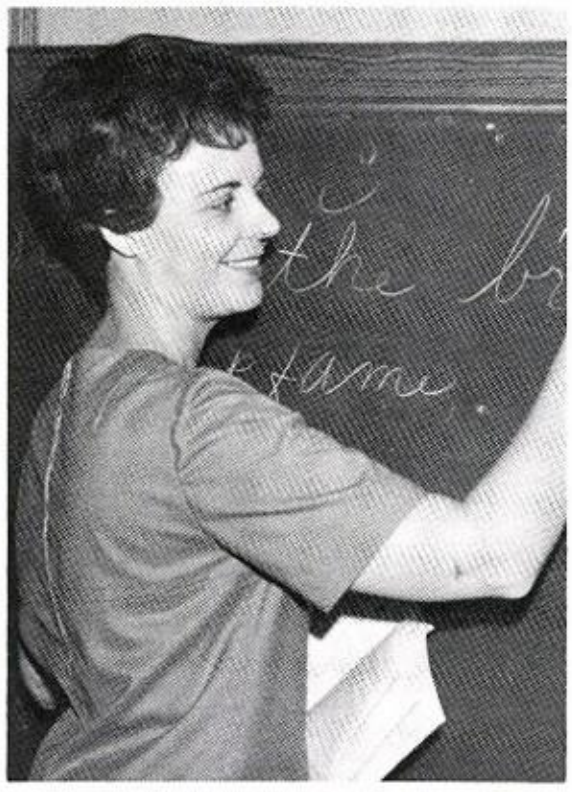
Mrs. Carl Wiseman
Reading Clinic
B. A., McMurry College
Hobby: sewing, creative writing

Mrs. Charles Hambrick
English
B. A., Baylor
Hobby: music



Miss Gladys Hoelscher
Math, Social Studies
B. S., Texas University
M. Ed., Texas Tech
Hobby: sewing

Mr. Robert Wilson
Science, History, P.E.
B. S., Texas Tech
Hobbies: hunting, water skiing



Mrs. Bob Henderson
English
B. S., Howard Payne
Hobby: reading

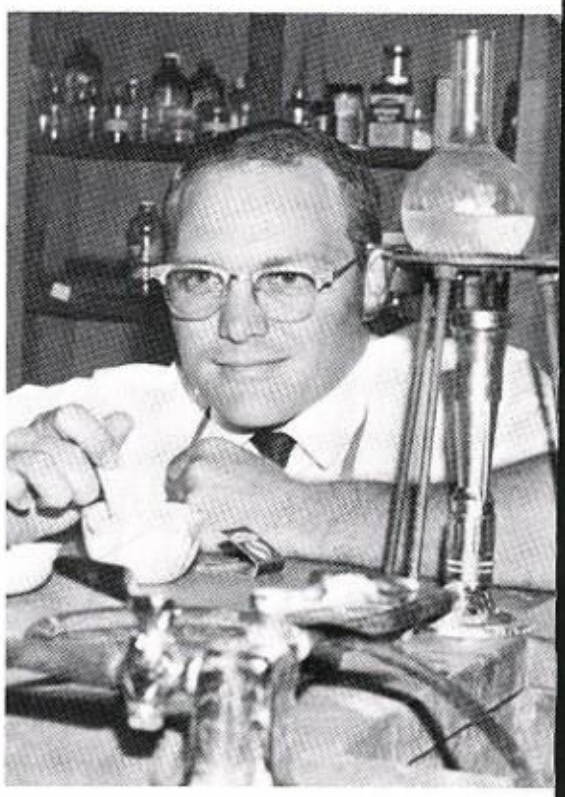
Mrs. Moncrief
Hobby: knitting

Mr. James Williams
History, P.E., Coach
B.S.
East Texas State
University
Hobby: raising horses

Mrs. James Williams
Speech, History
B.A.
Texas Tech
Hobbies: water skiing
and antiquing furniture

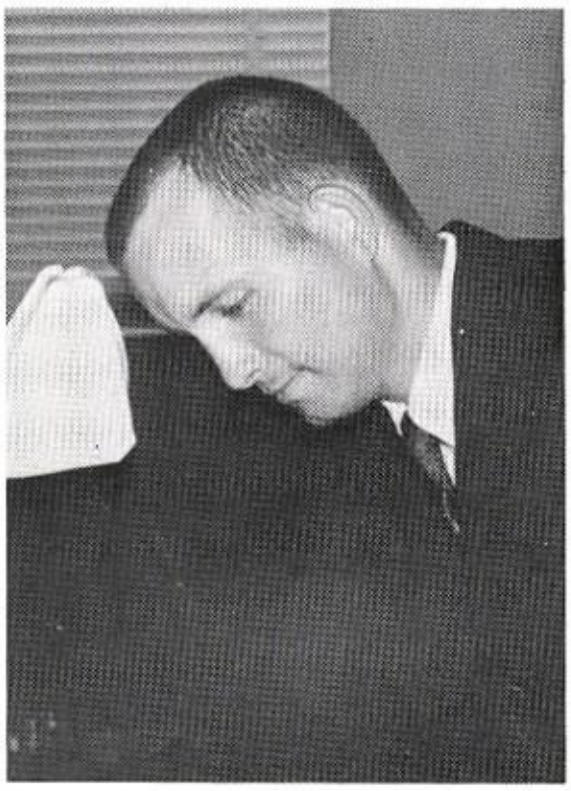
Mrs. I. B. Funderburk
Librarian
Hobby: playing with
grandchildren

Mrs. E. H. Crawford
Math
B.S.
Daniel Baker
Hobby: painting



Mr. Hugh Campbell
Science, Biology
B.S.
Texas Tech
Hobby: drawing

Mr. Douglas Ruthven
Science; Coach
Texas Wesleyan
College
Hobby: being with
kids



Mrs. Bob Vancil
English
University of Texas
Hobby: gardening

President . . . . . John Patterson
Vice-President . . . . . Tom Sykes
Secretary . . . . . Peggy Butts

Freshman Class

Ricky Akins
Yolanda Alfaro
Sheila Allen
Paula Anthony
Johnny
Armendariz

Randy Atkins
Penny Beaver
Mike Belcher
Joyce Blackshear
Linda Brown

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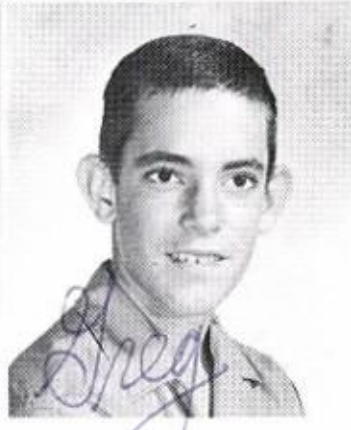

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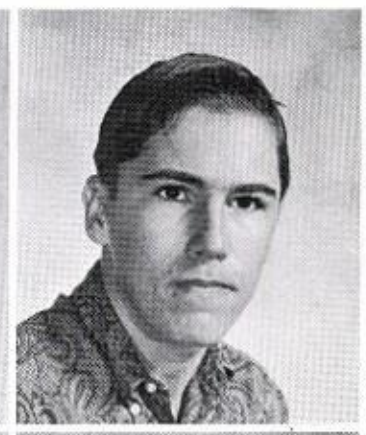

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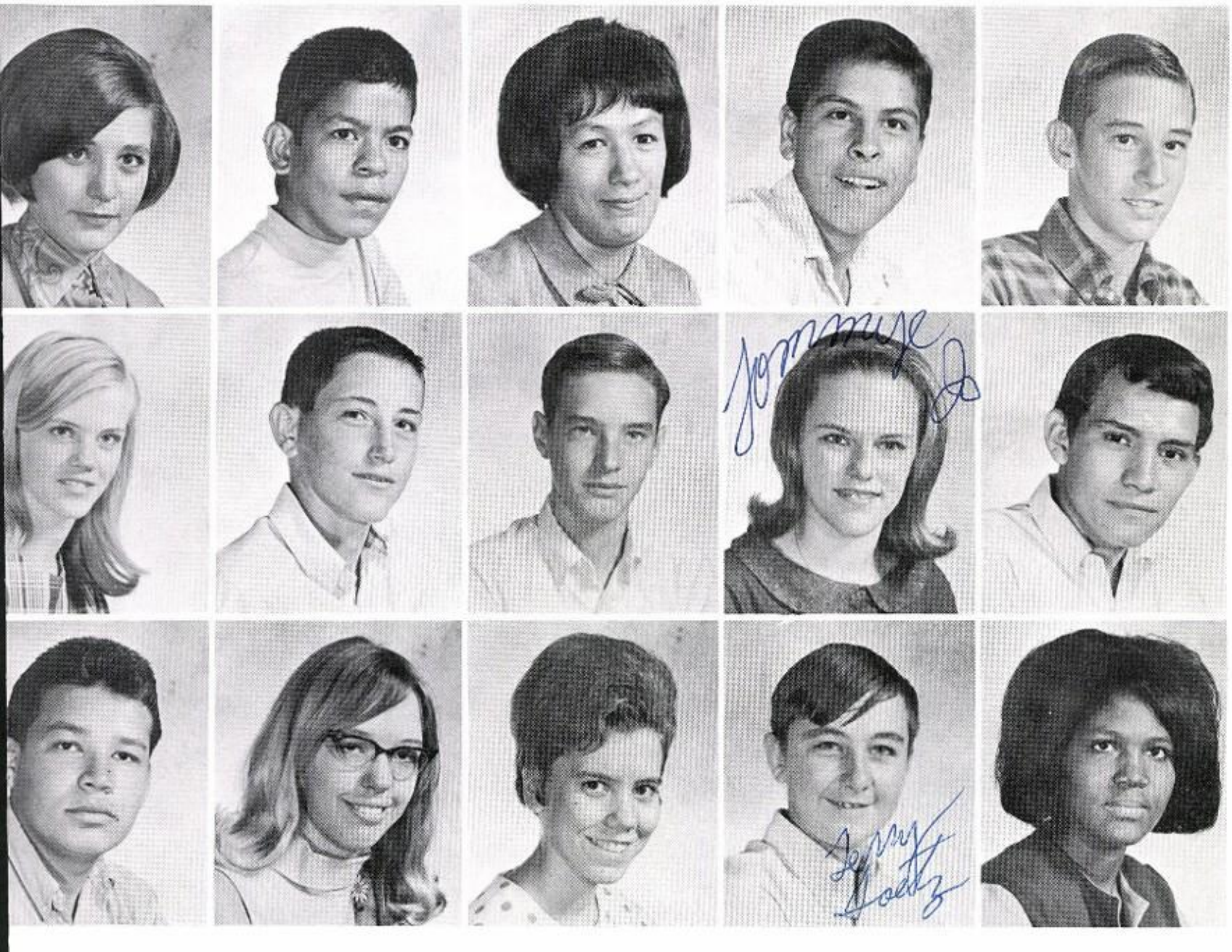
Cheryl Carter
Mackie Crosson

Jimmy Cole
Cora Davis



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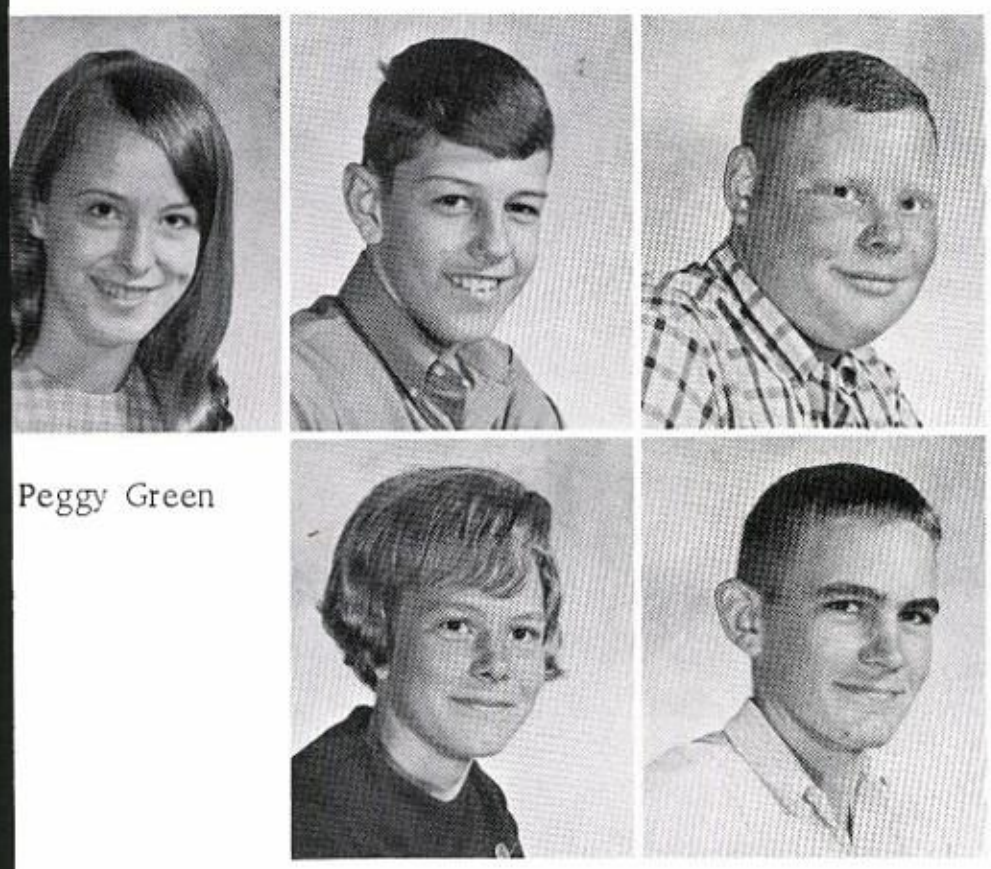
John De La Cerda
Amelia De La Garza
Joe Escobar
Stephen Everett

Karen Flanagan
Randy Fiveash
Mark Fuqua
Tommye Jo Gabbert
Joe Galvan

Domingo Garcia
Patricia Gillespie
Deborah Goetz
Terry Goetz
Marilyn Green



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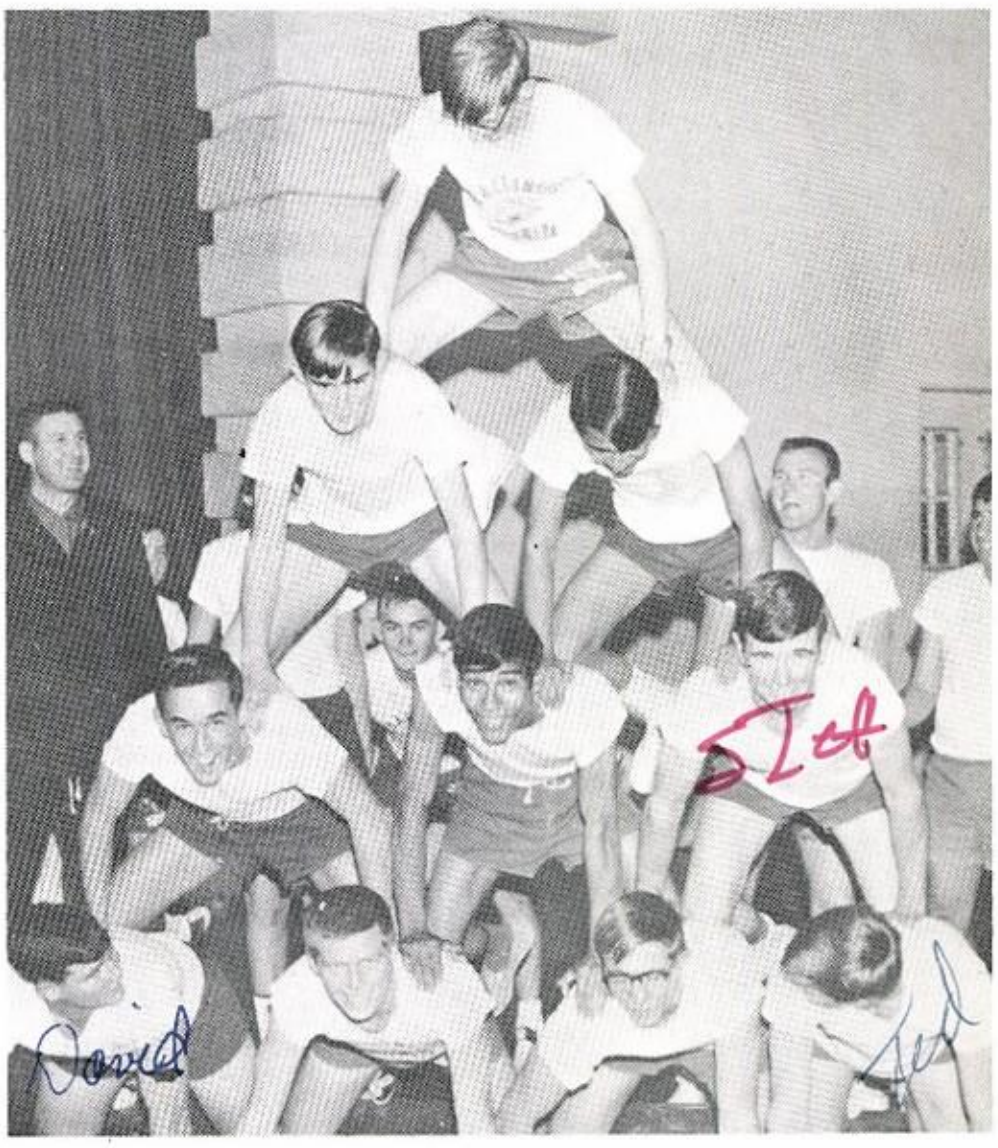
Lois Halfmann
Donnie Halfmann
Daniel Hallmark



"Well, at least we're cute."

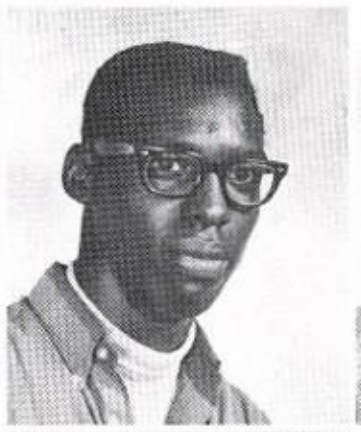
Sharon Hallmark
Phillip Hamilton
Dave Harrell
Russell Hearn
Carolyn Herridge

Bill Hodges
Benjamin
Hoelscher
Travis Hogue
Janice Holubec
Gloria Islas

Tommy Jackson
Kay Jacob
Noe Jalomo
Ophilia Jalomo
Pamela Jenkins

No, no, two plus one isn't five.

Douglas Johnson
David Keesee



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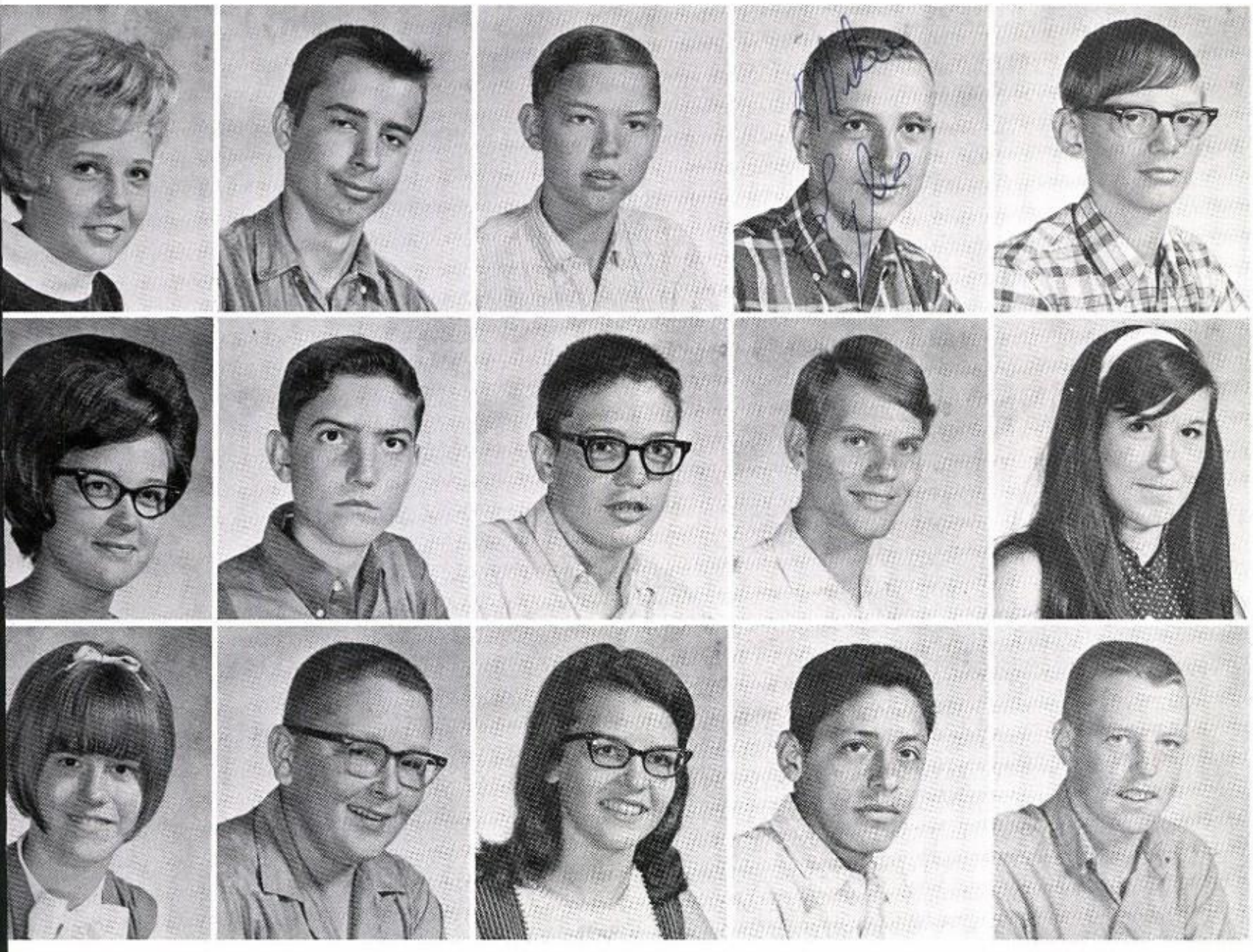
Steve Kemp

Brenda Keesee



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Wally Knight
Albert Lambard
Mikie Lyles
Dan Marecek

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Oscar Nombrano
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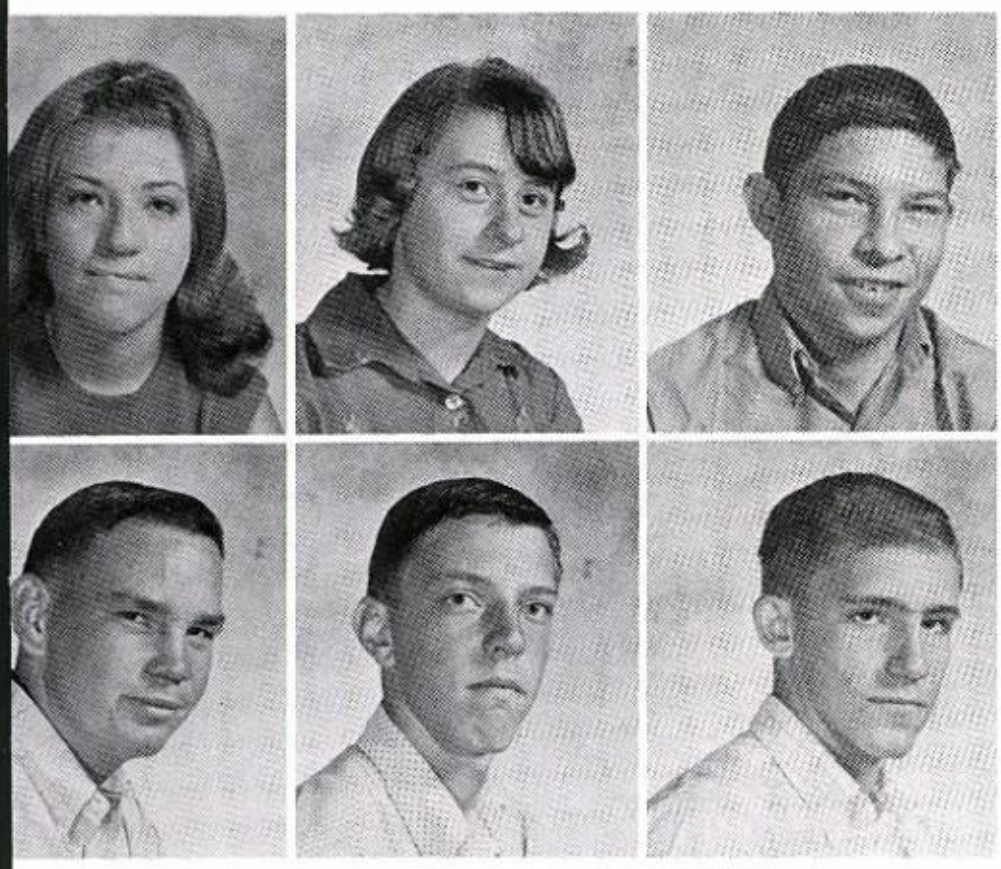


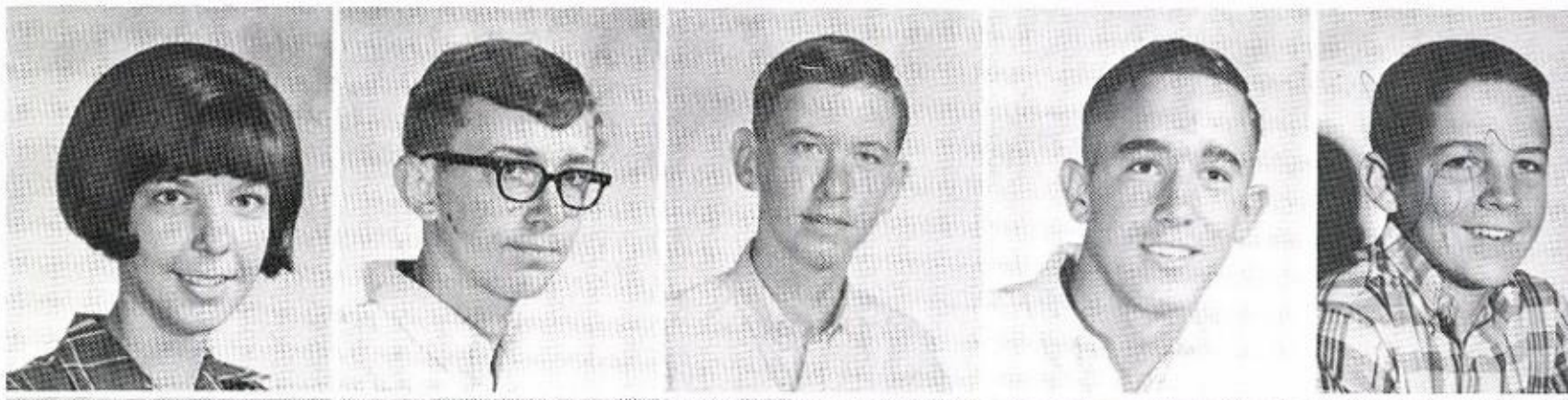
Glenda Pearse Douglas Robinson

Patsy Pospical
Steve Routh

Roy Ramos
Charles Sawyer

This is the way they do it in the army.

Brenda Schwertner
Scott Shepherd
Rusty Smith
Joe Stokes
Tom Sykes



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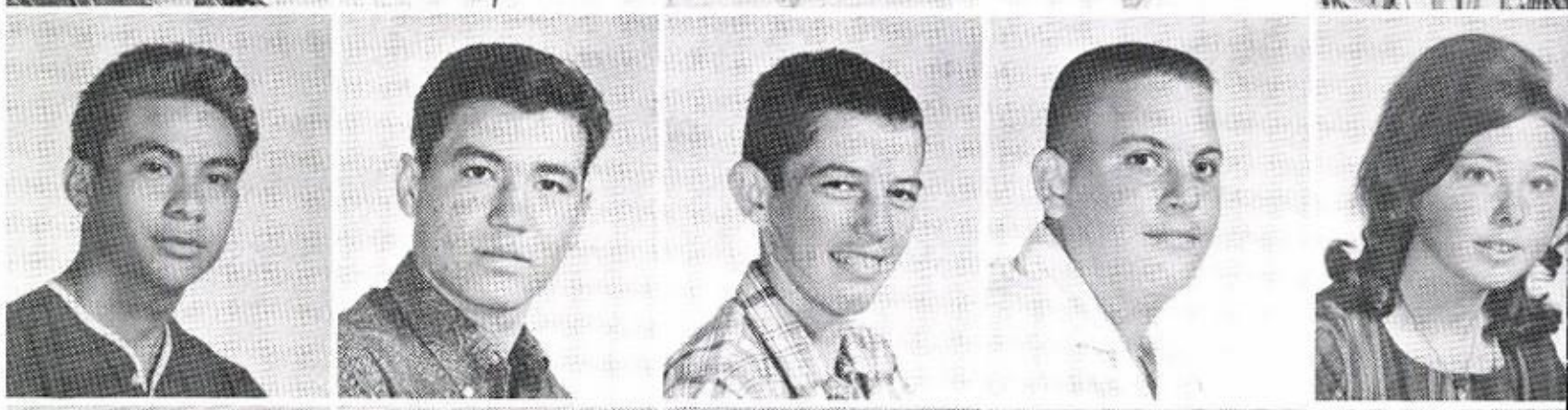
Gregg Walker
Bobby Wanorack
Glinna Washburn



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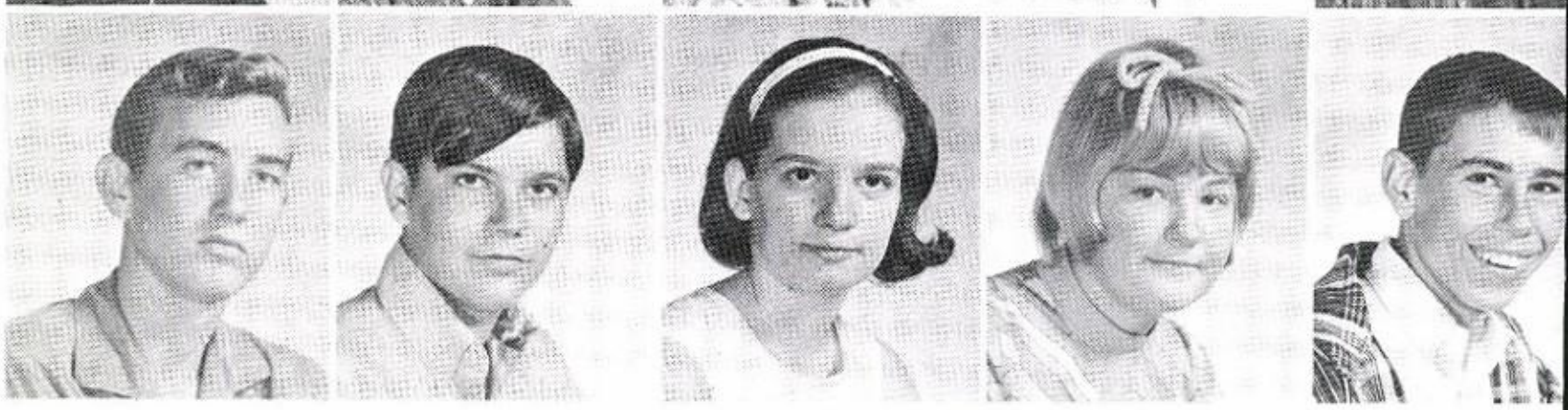
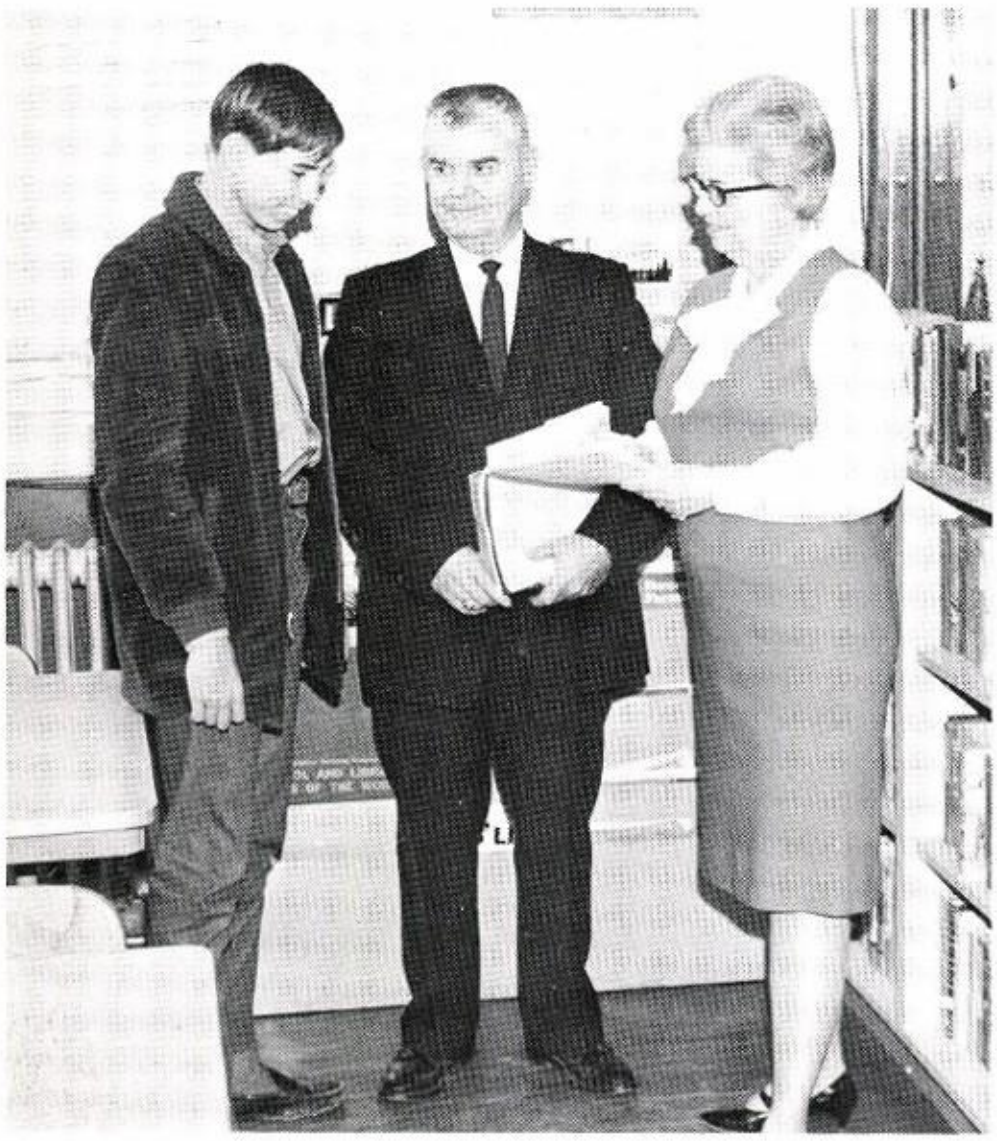
Bill Weaver
Ann Wellbrock
Nancy
Wenetschlager
Bobby Wheeler





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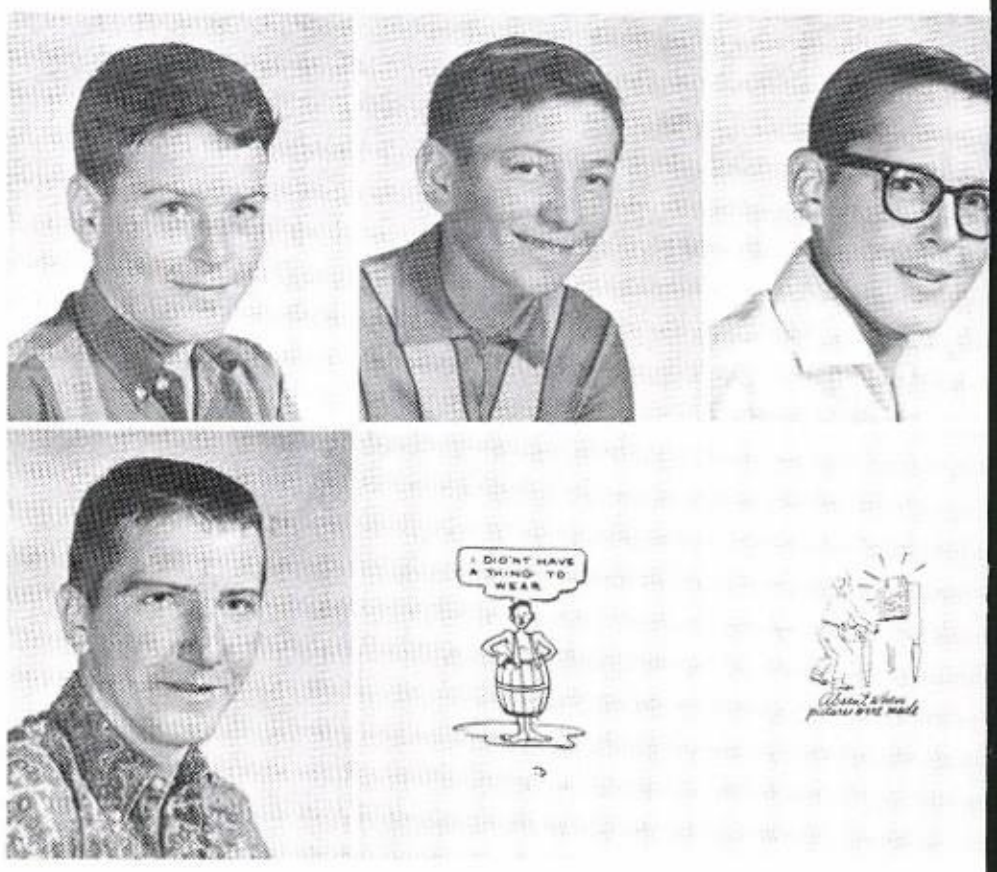

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Larry Winchester

Tommy Wilde
Ronnie Castillo

Dan Williams
Marvin Cook

President . . . . . Johnny Hoffman
Vice-President . . . . . Carlos Garcia
Secretary . . . . . Henry Pena

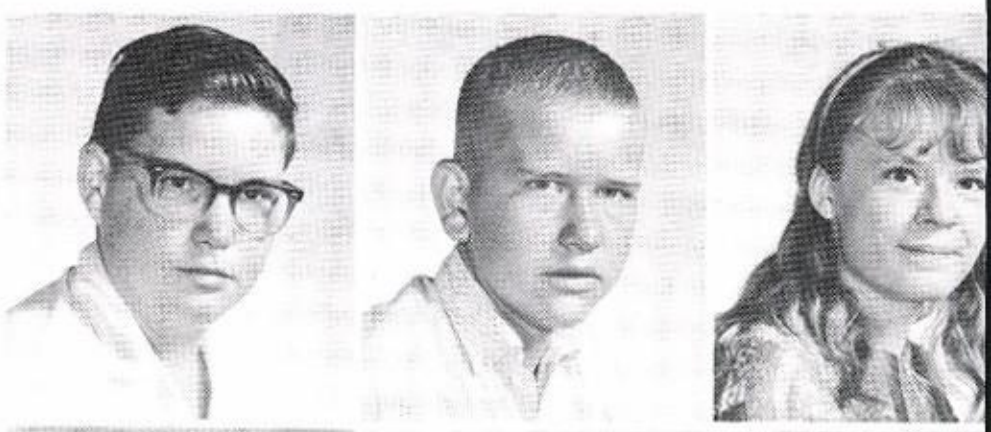
Eighth Grade Class

Elsa Aguirre
Victor Arteaga
Becky Barrett
Dorothy Bennett
Mildred Bigby

Paul Boggess
Kerry Brown
Carolyn Bryan
Robbie Bryan
Patti Buchanan

William Byler
Nina Charles
Marjorie Chase
Vina Clark
Pat Cole

Really Owens, it can't be that bad.



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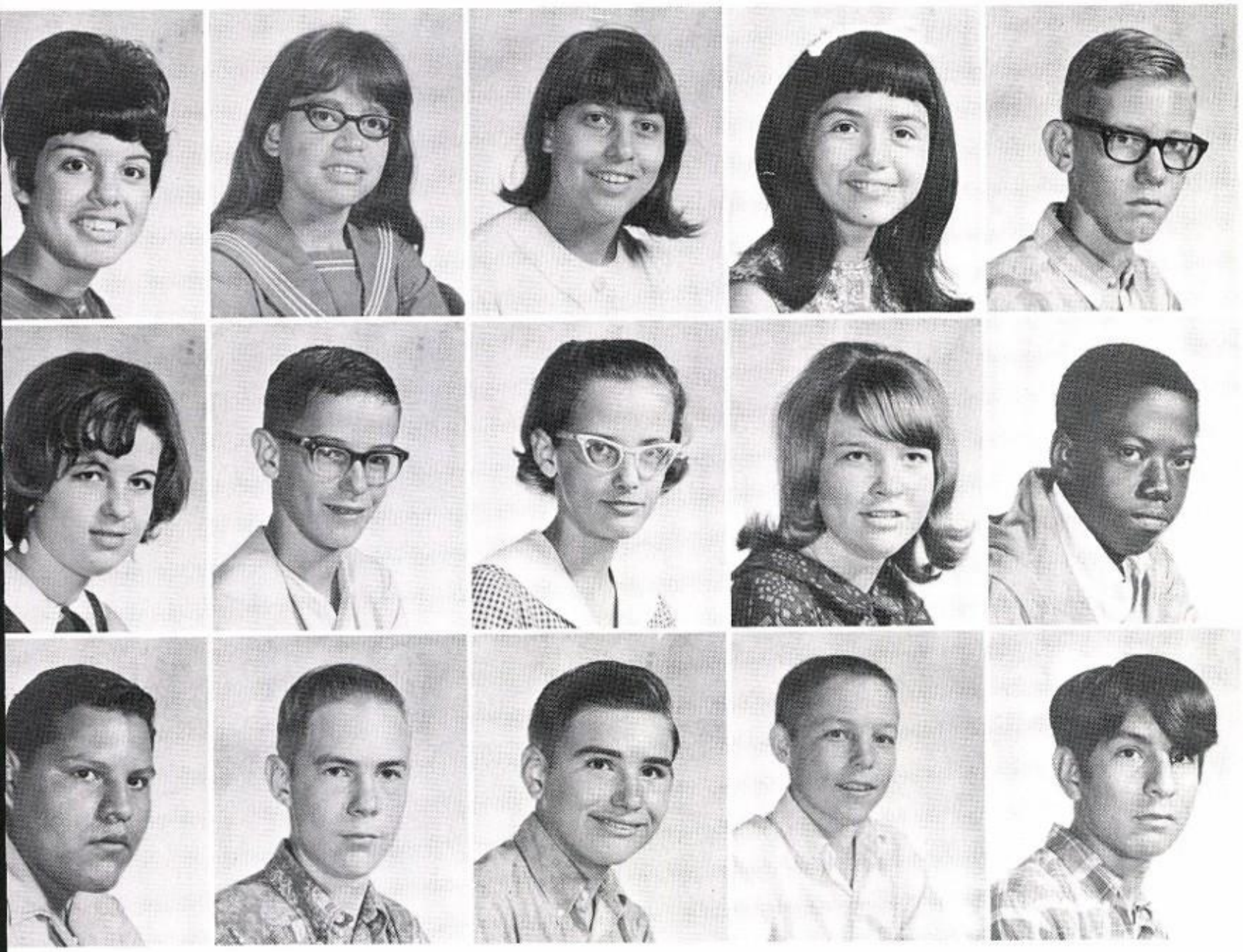
Jerry Cook
Tommy Dabney

Gail Crump
William Davenpo



Dolores Duarte
Inez De La Cerda
Lydia De La Cerda
Mary Escobar
Douglas Eubanks

Calli Farmer
Mike Farmer
Sharilyn Farmer
Addie Ferguson
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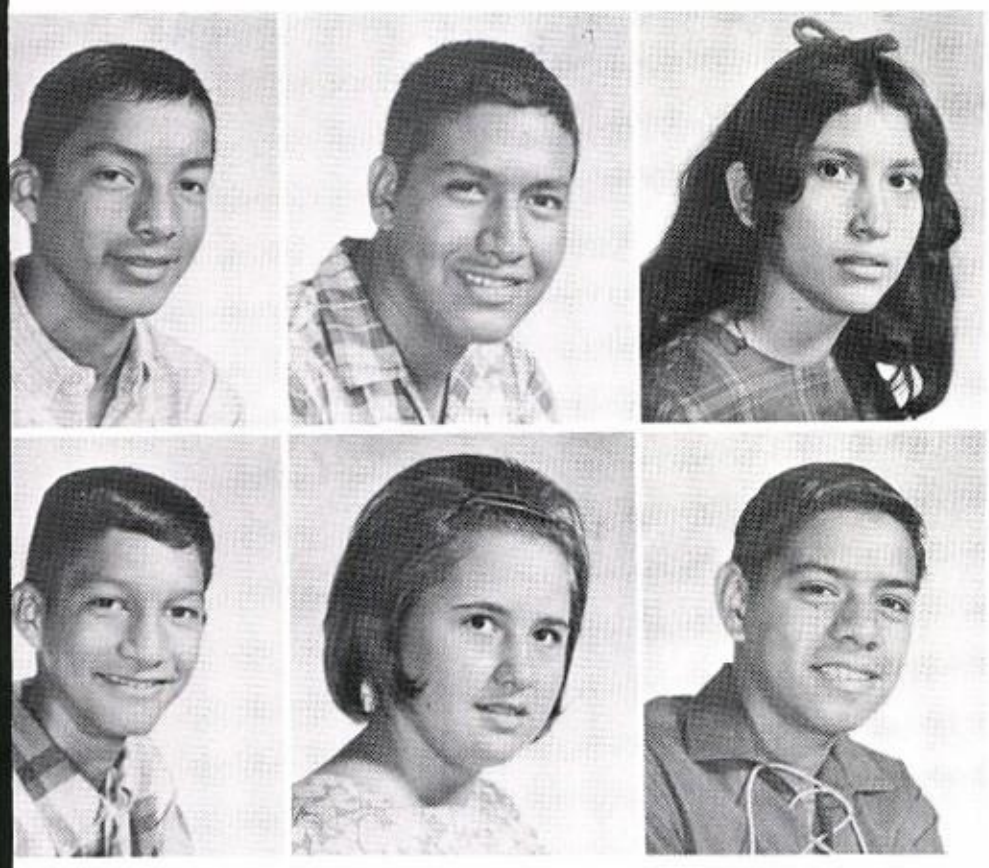
Ramon Flores
Tommy Follis
Jim Francisco
Tony Gabbert
Mike Galvan



Carlos Garcia
Paul Garcia

Joe Alex Garcia
Sharon Goetz

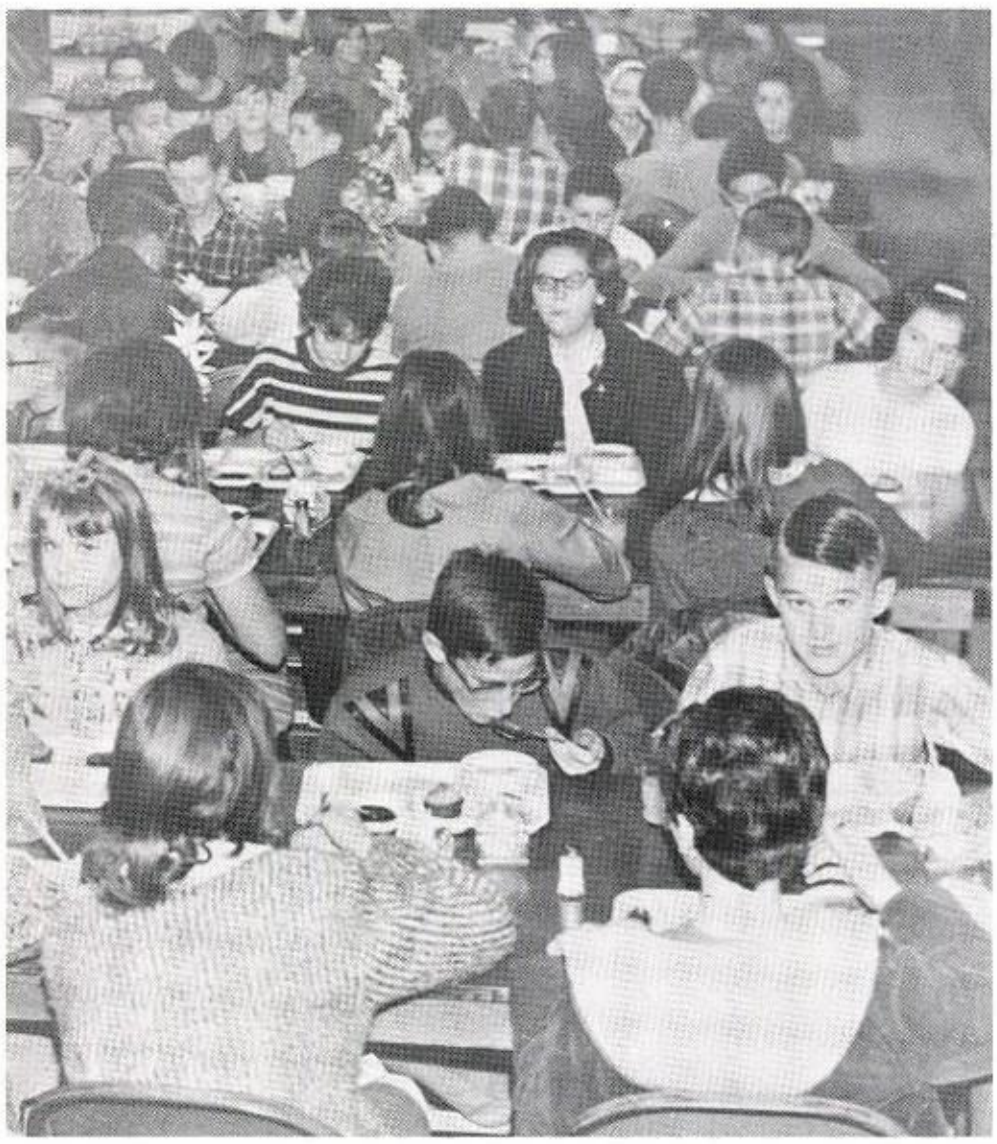
Iris Garcia
Joe Gonzalez

Just who does she think she's impressing anyway?

Yvonne Gonzales
Zane Gray
Ray Green
Mike Guyton
Norman Halfmann

David Haliburton
Chris Harral
Tommy Harrell
Jimmie Herring
Johnny Hoffman

Loretta Holubec
Don Howard
Gary Howard
June Hubbell
Wendell Johnson



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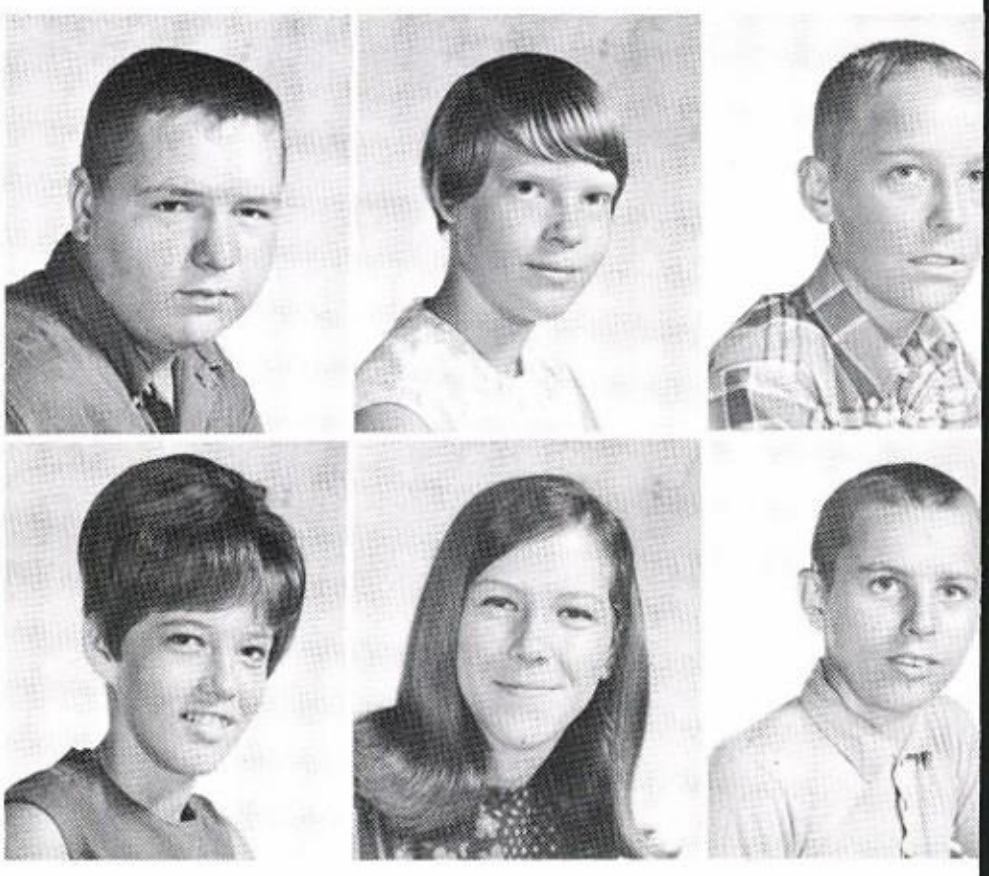
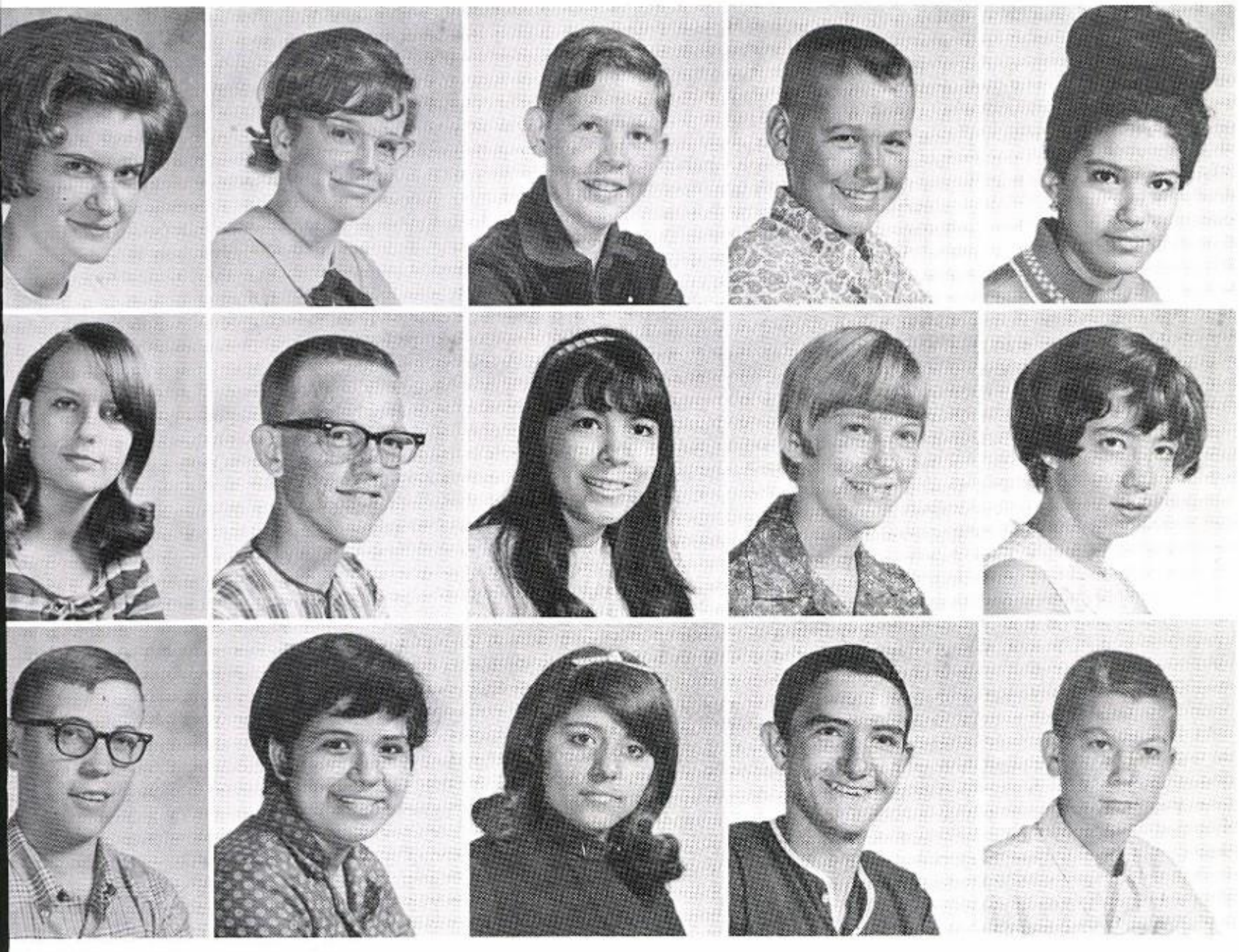


Charles Jones
Shirley Keesee

Eileen Jorgenson
Sherri King

Brent Kedizora
John Knight



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Ann Kresta
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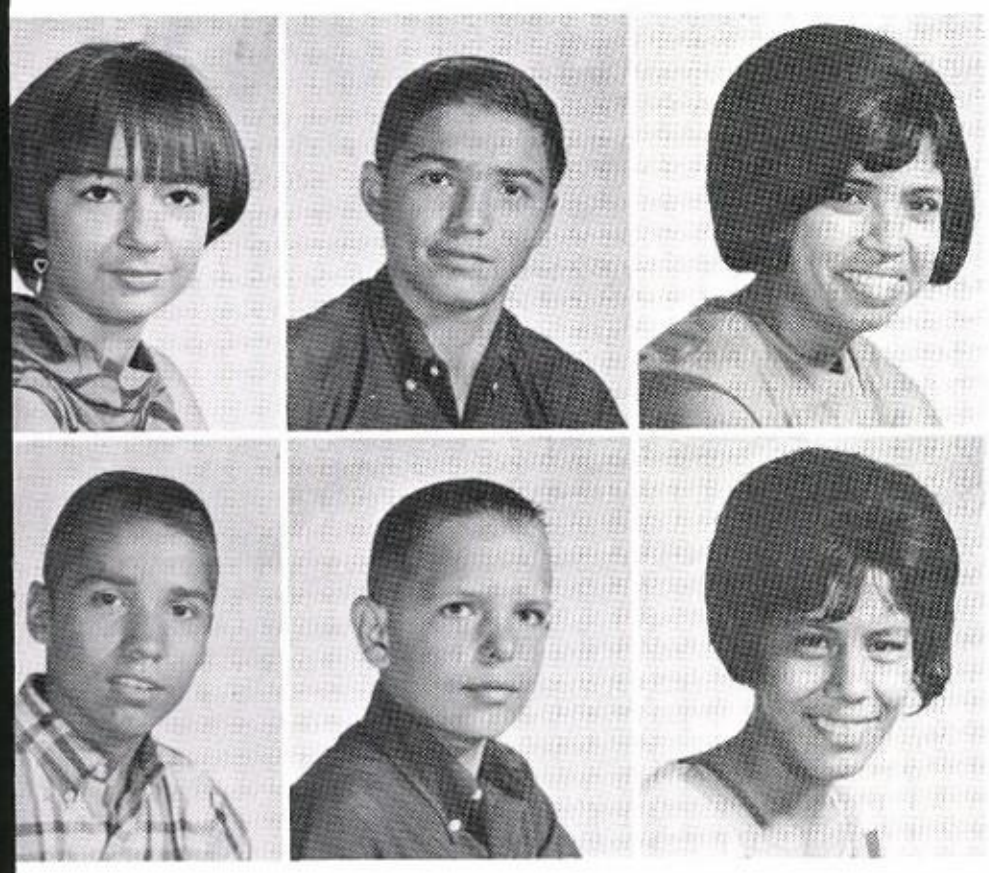

Pat Parks
Tony Picon

Henry Pena
Tony Pritchard

Margarita Perez
Delia Rodriquez

Big deal - so this is concert B flat.

Eva Rodriquez
Joan Rohmfeld
Kenneth Routh
Donna Sharpes
Renee Sloan

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Luanne Travis

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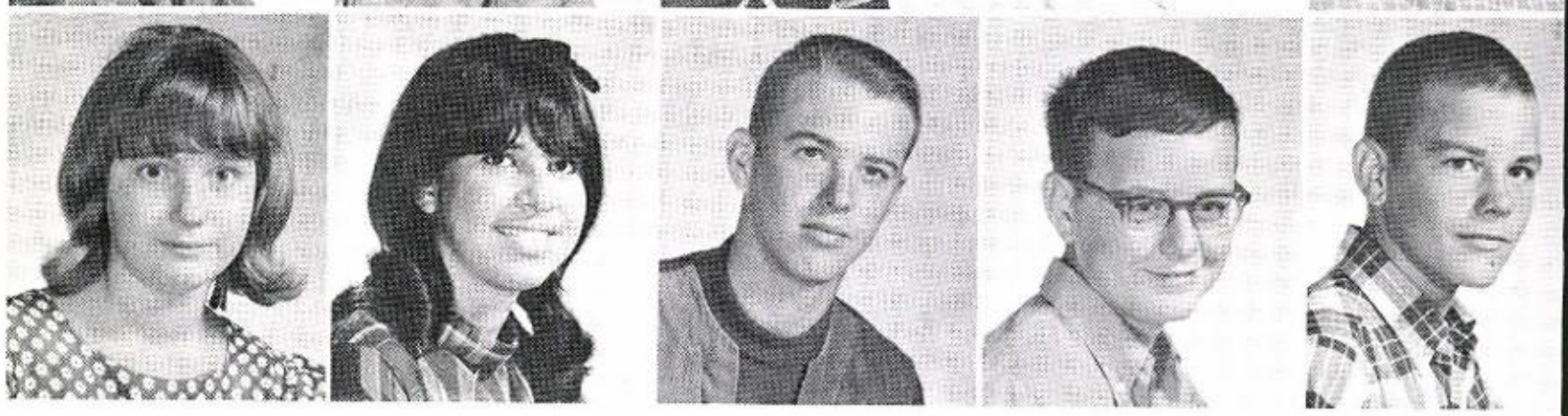
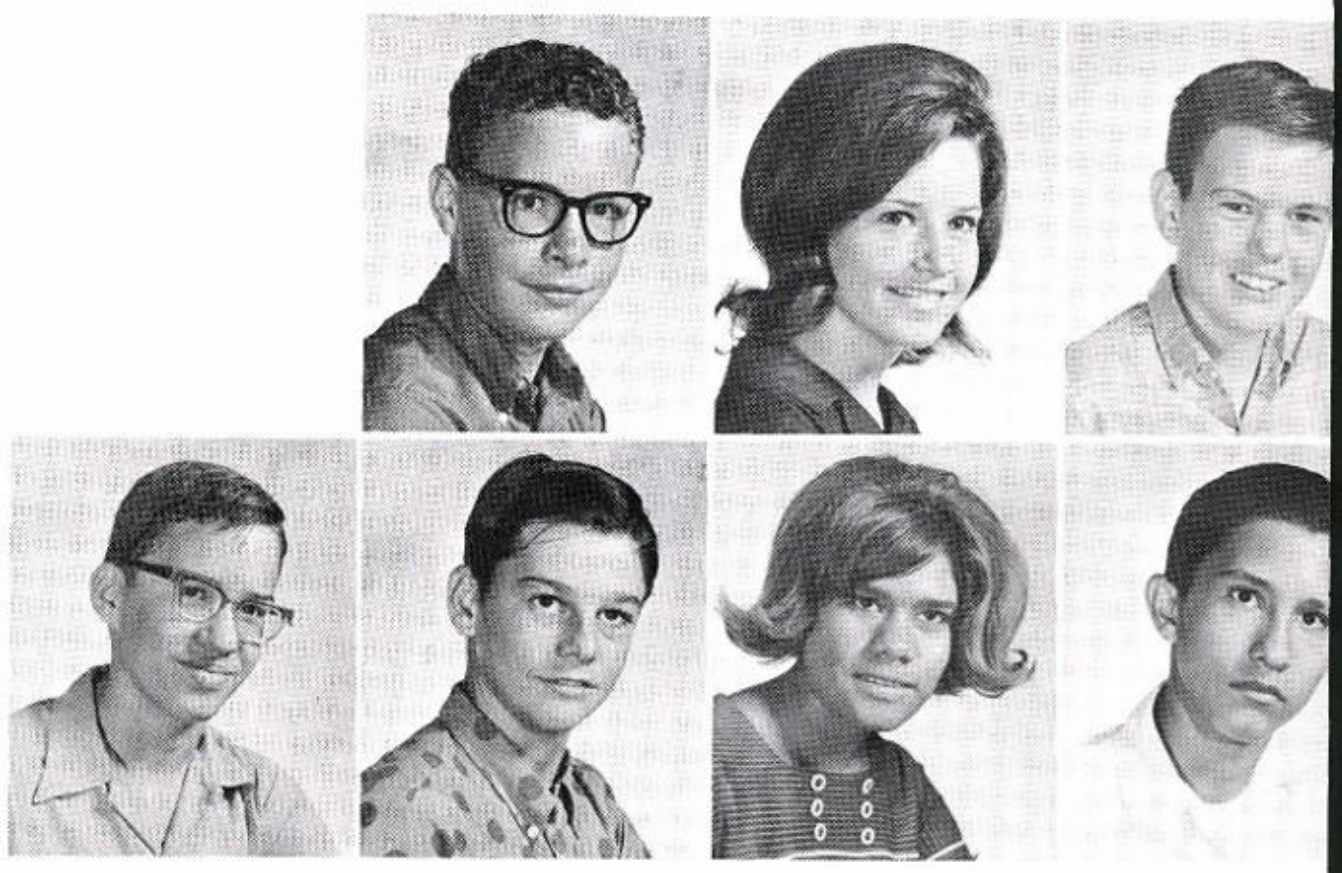


Come on everybody "Superman" is just about to start.



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David Whatley
Jimmy Workman

Debbie Wheeless
Elizabeth Chaves

Stephen White
Jesse Trevino

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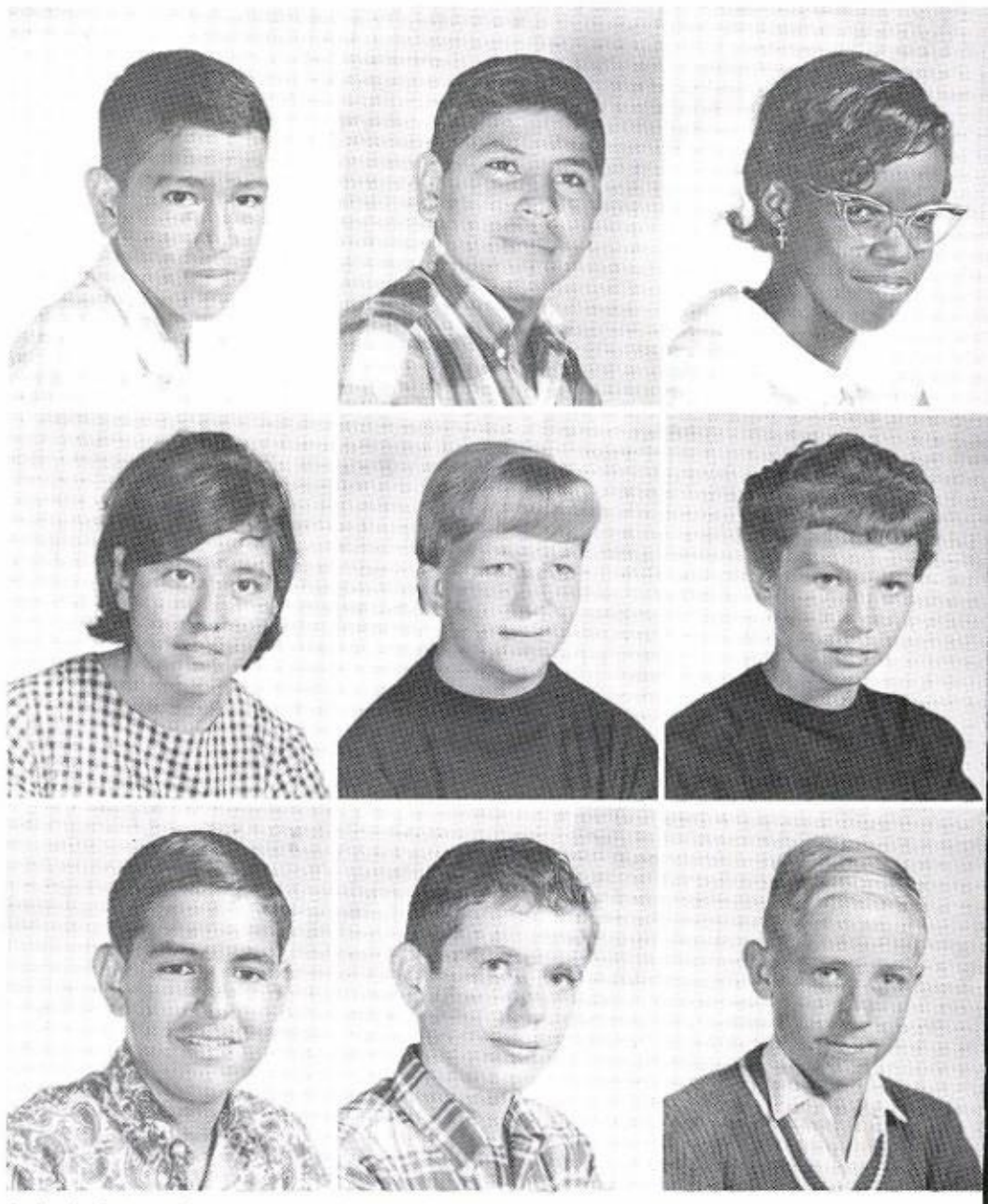
Seventh Grade Class

Remember gang, smear 'um.



Babriel Aquirre
Lupe Antu
Peter Armendariz

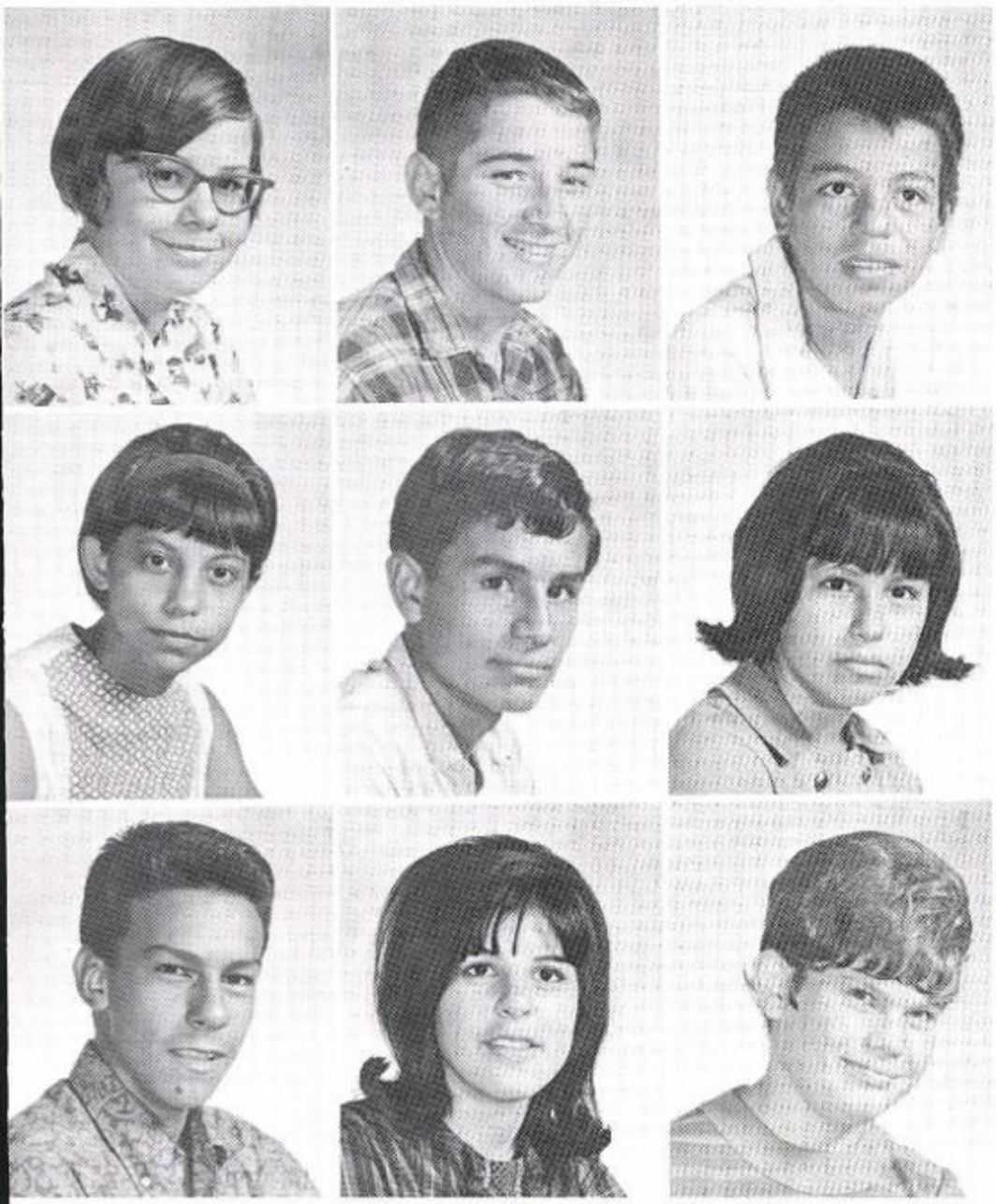
Jim Alvardo
Deb Archer
Bill Barnes

Deborah Andrews
Rhonda Archer
Johnny Barrow

James Beddo
Larry Bilbrey
Ann Blackshear
Lynn Blackshear
Walter Bollier

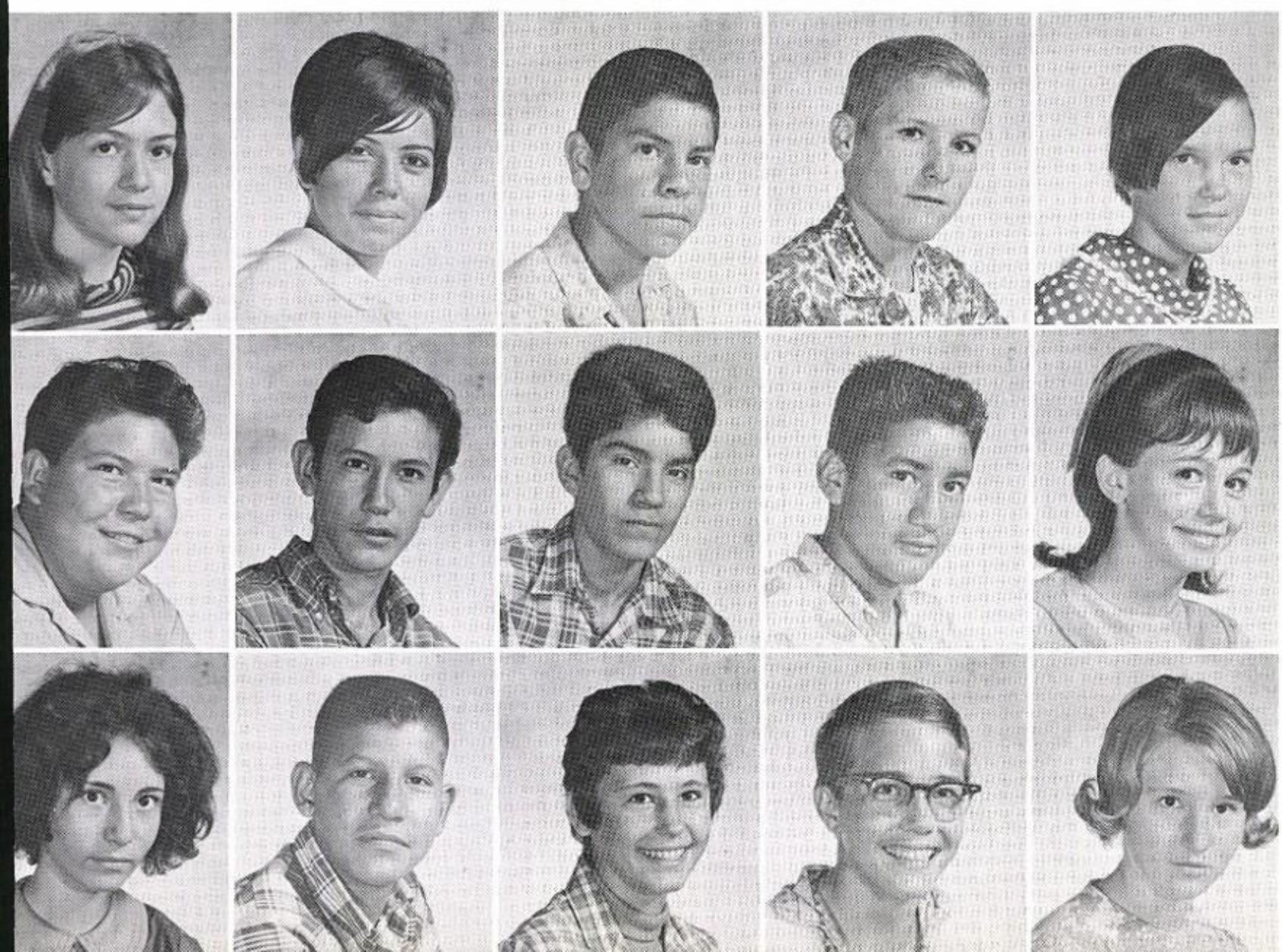
Steve Brown
Kenny Bryan
Susan Buxkemper
Jerry Carson
Marcella Carson

David Chavez
Duane Chick
Dale Clark
Douglas Cook
Charlene Crosson



Wanda Curry
Mary De La Cerda
Ruben De La Garza
Alan Davis
Chano De La Garza
Delphine Duarte
Joe De La Cerda
Eva De La Cerda
Princy Dubois

"Cheese!"



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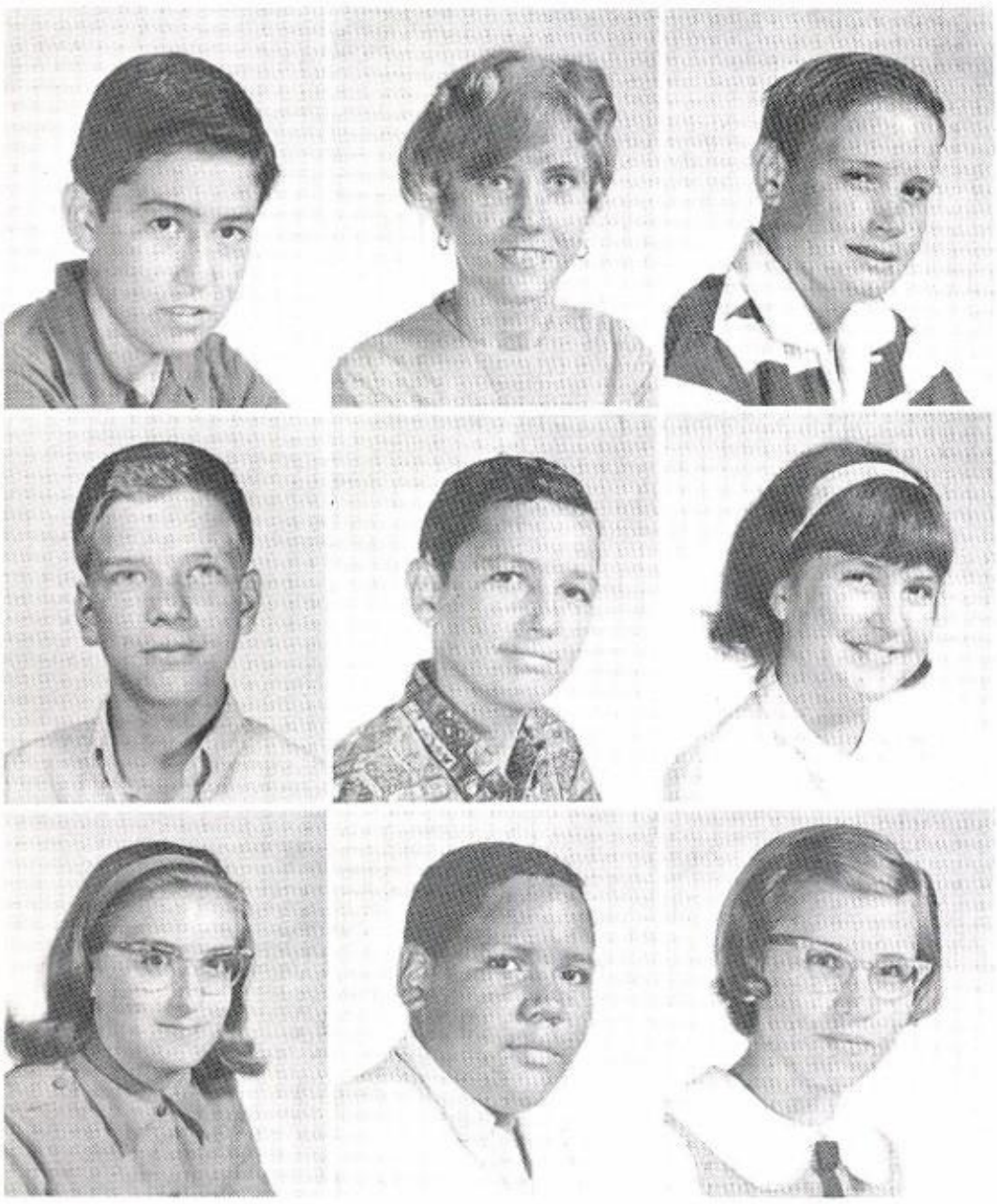
Chris Escobar
Danny Escobar
Randy Farris
Cindy Fernandez

Ismael Fernandez
Sevro Flores
Isadias Galvan
Pedro Galvan
Ollie Gann

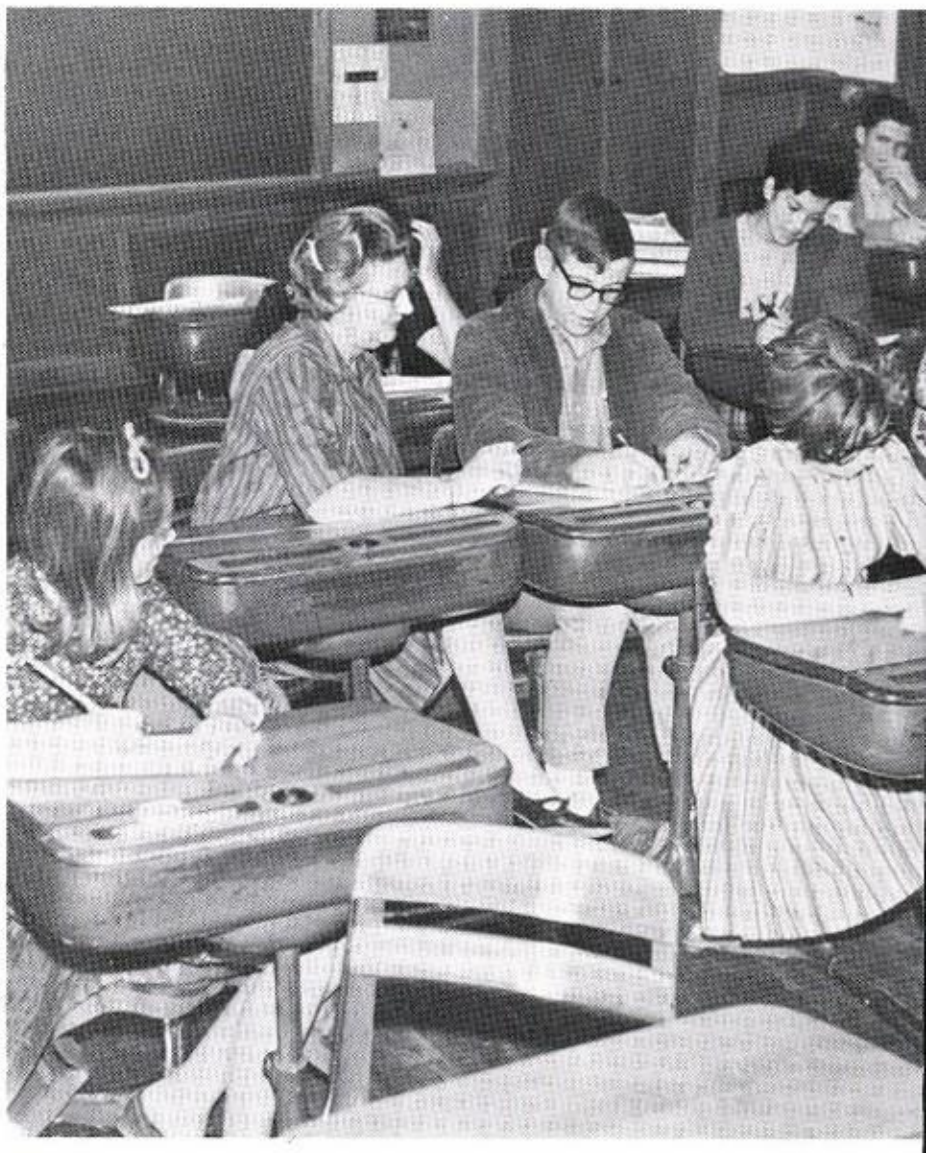
Delilah Garcia
Aldo Gonzales
Judy Graves
Steve Gary
Glenda Green



Eddie Gruvara
Curtis Hampton
Marilyn Herridge

Glenda Halfmann
Chipper Harrell
Kelly Herring

Herman Hamilton
Karen Herridge
Belinda Hoelscher



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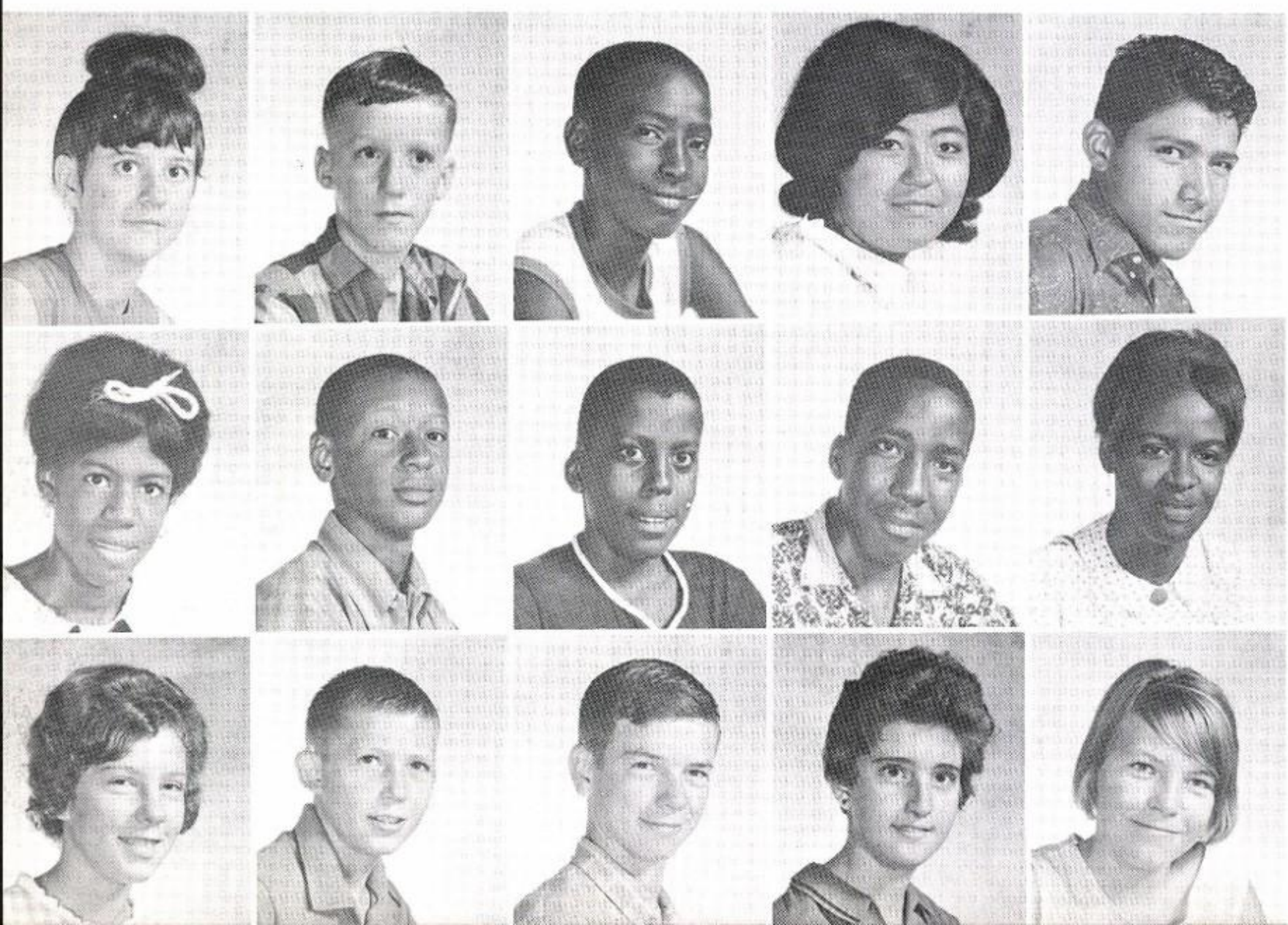
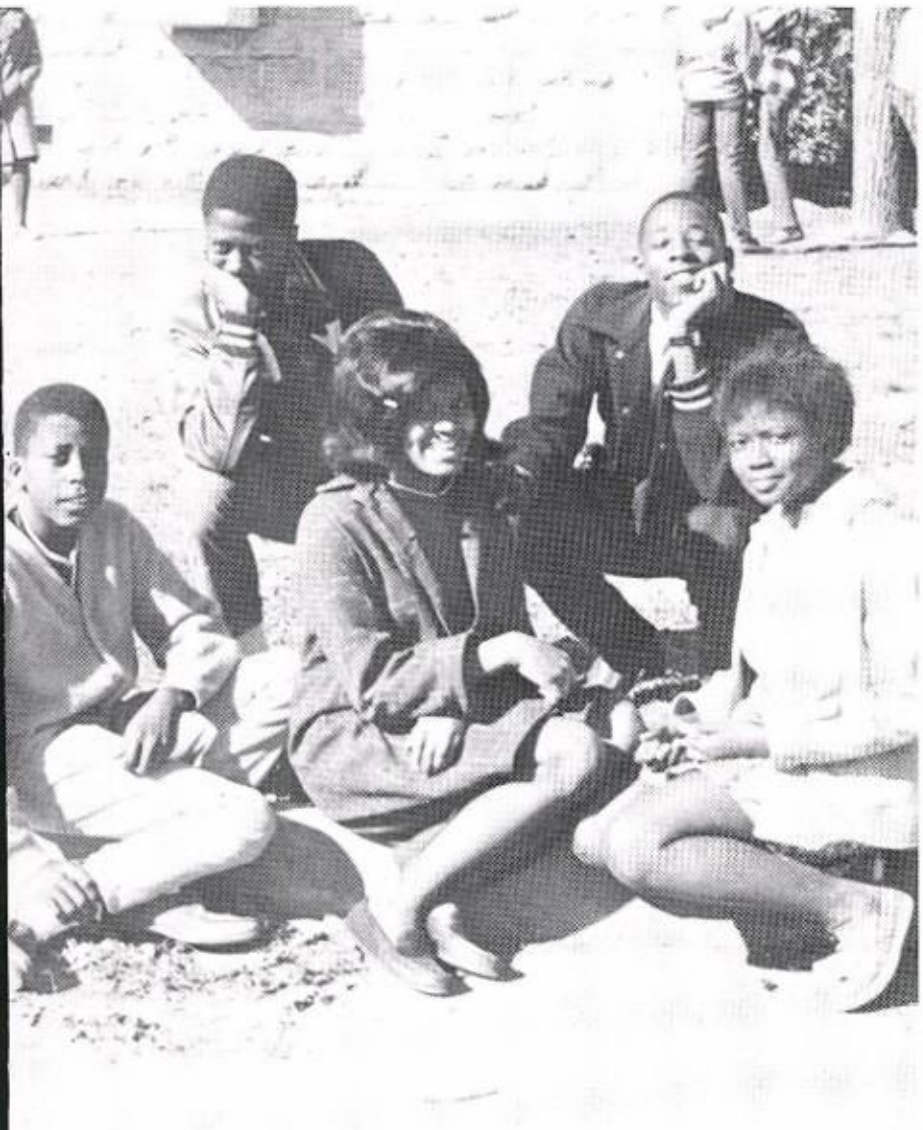


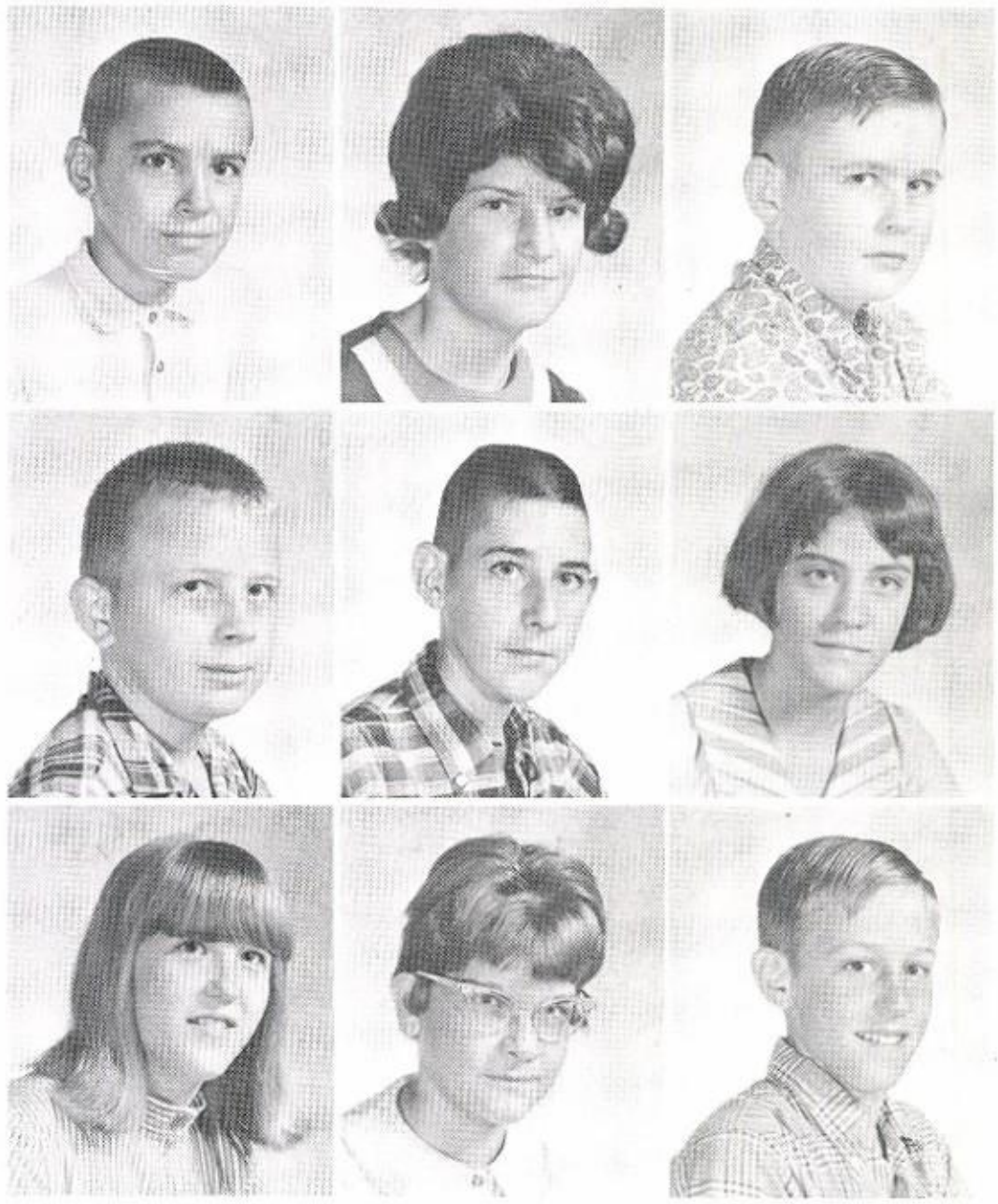
Katie Hoisington
Danny Hubbard
Kenneth Hubbard
Dora Islas
Raymond Jalamo

Ira Jenkins
Billy Jernigan
Claude Johnson
Curtis Johnson
Rosalee Johnson

Shelia King
Windell King
James Kirk
Susan Kitchens
Cynthis Knight



A lively looking bunch!



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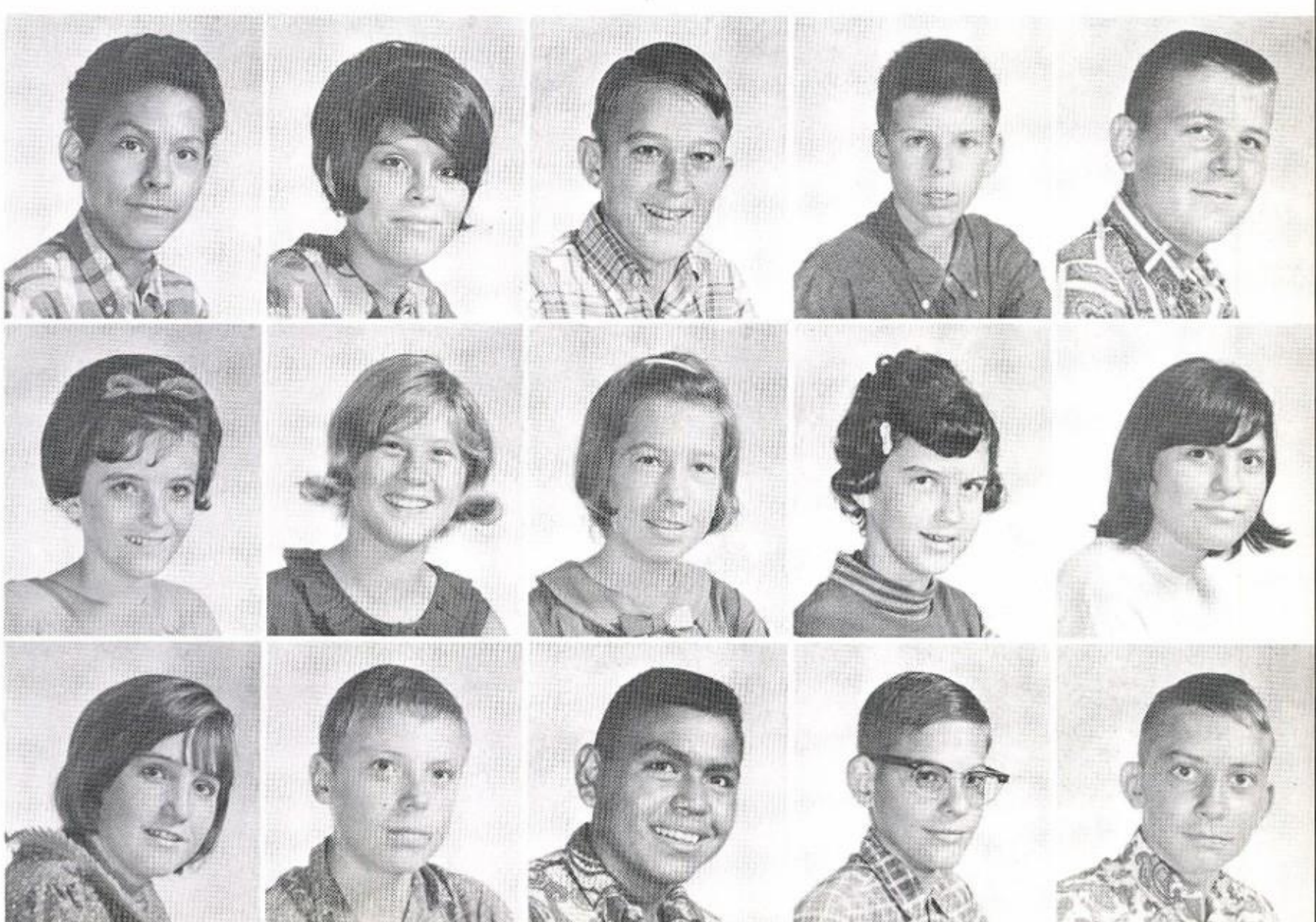
Robert Kotrlik
Sherri Lang

Malisia Knight
Dave Kresta
Netha Lee

Kenneth Kotrlik
Cheryl Lange
Mark Lippe



Hector Martinez
Mary Martinez
Terry Merck
Harvey McCoy
Larry McShan

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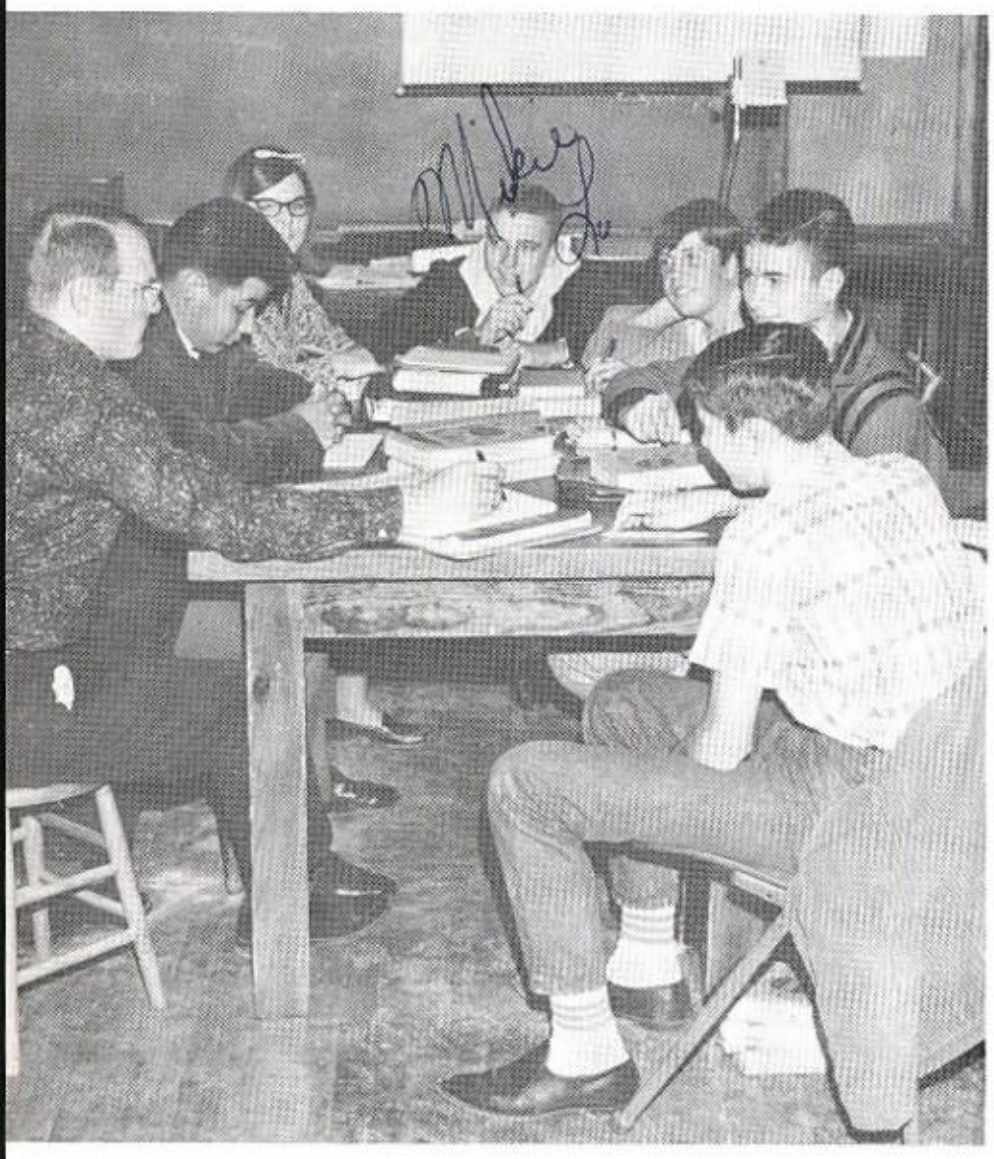
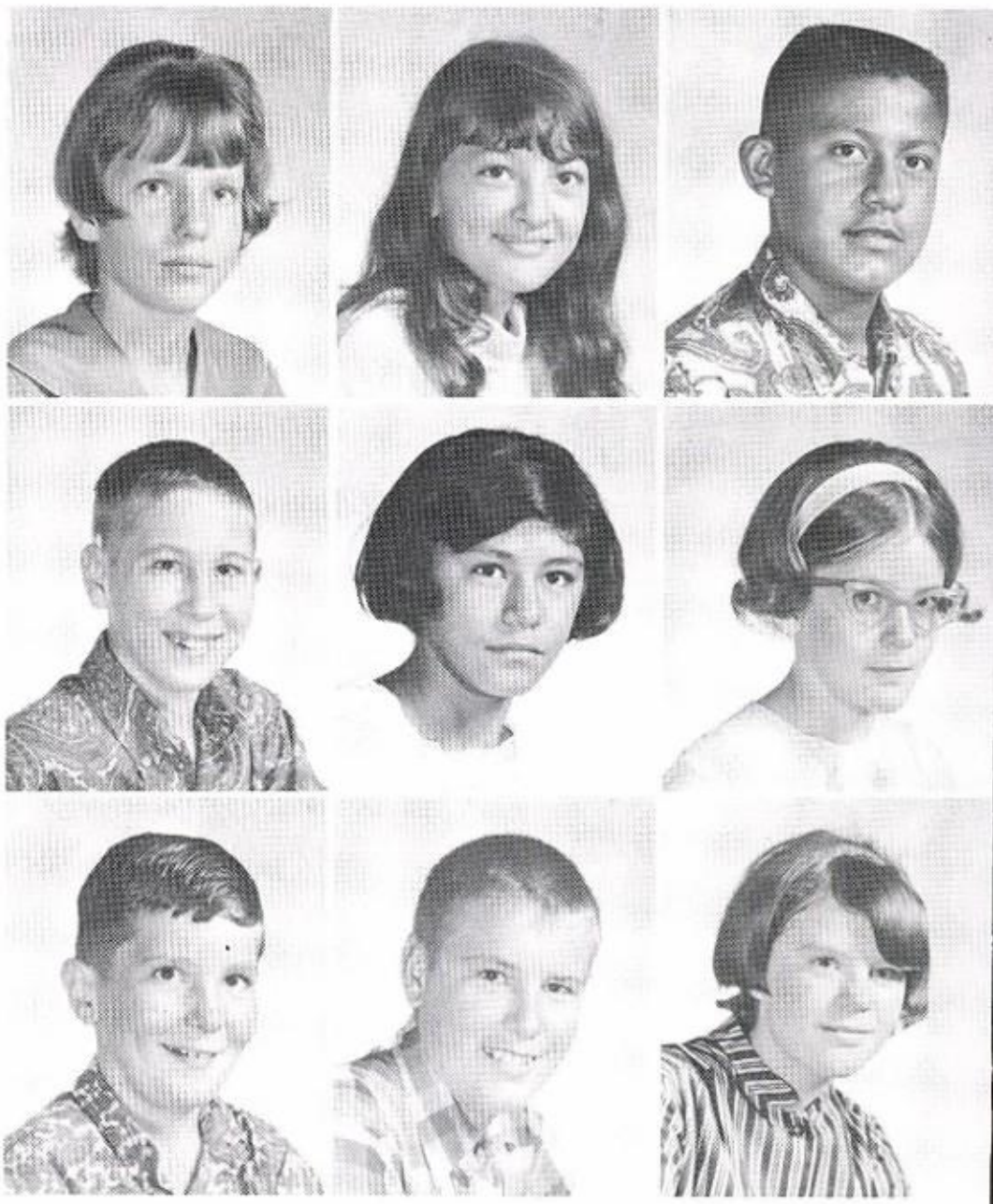


Look kids, I'm trying to make this as interesting as I can.



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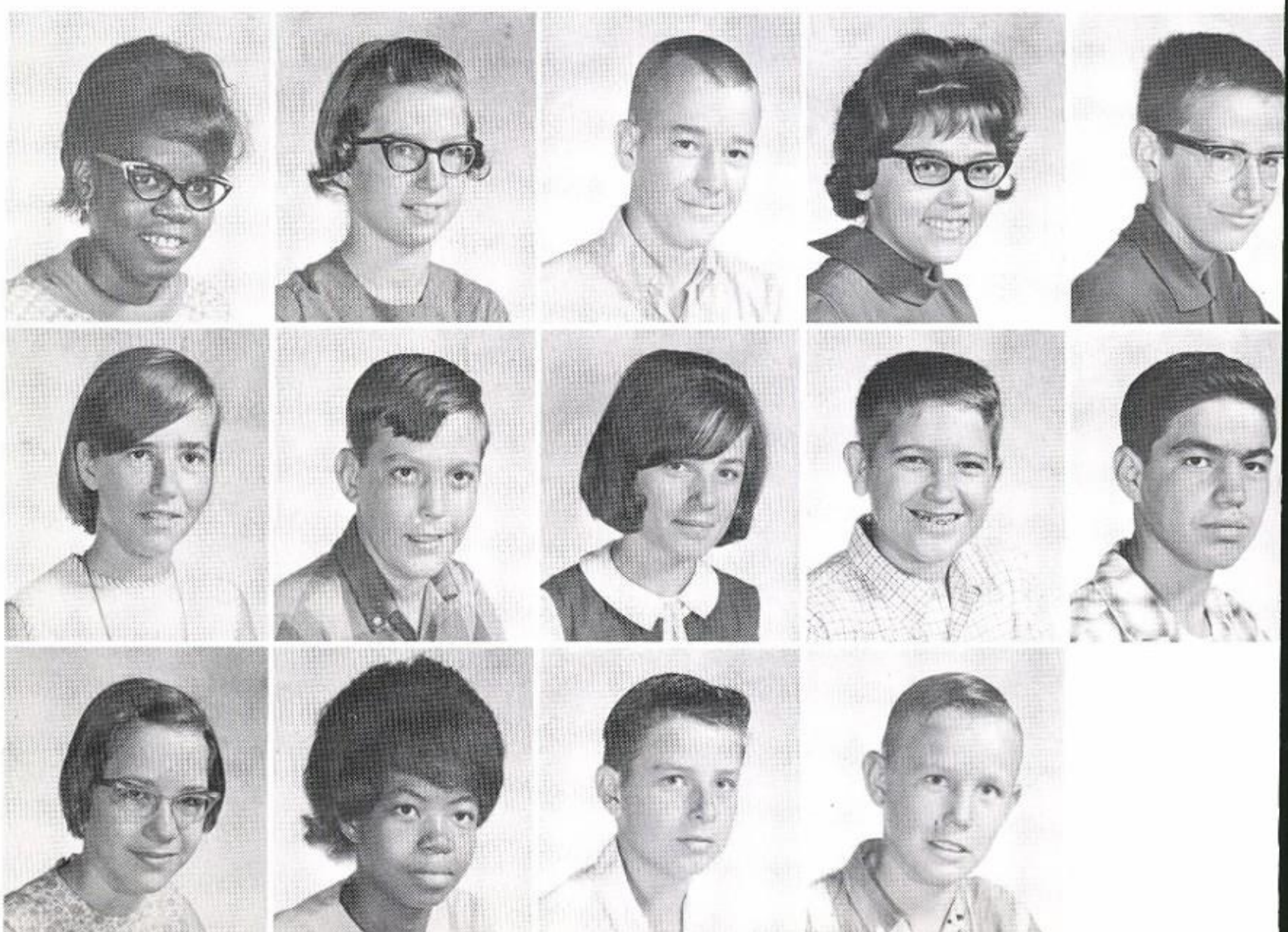
Gregory Schwertner

Lydia Ramos
Frances Rodriquez
Johnny Slaughter

Johnny Rezes
Tanna Rodgers
Debbie Smith

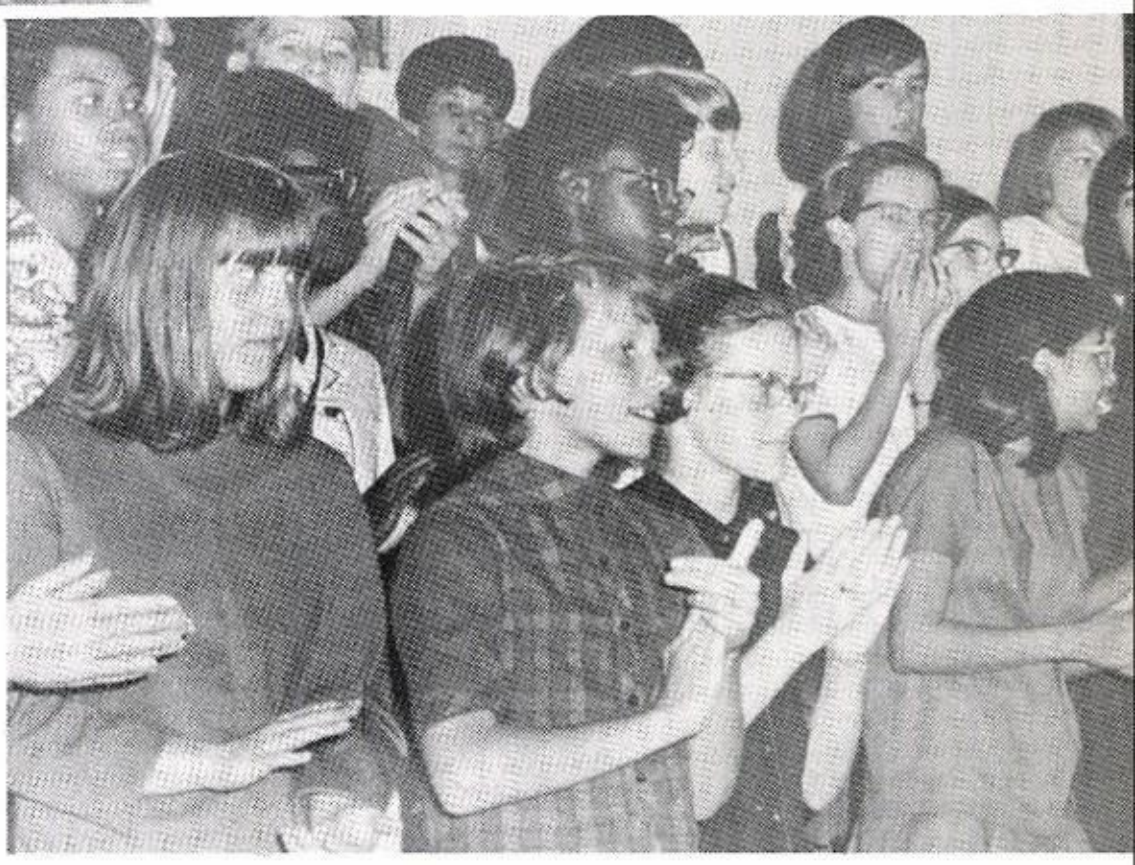


Marcella Snell
Gay Spreen
David Stokes
Kay Stokes
Jonathan Stone

Cathy Thackeh
Gary Thompson
Janie Turner
Earl Vancil
Joe Villarreal

Brenda Vollkel
Salita Wallace
Quintin Watkins
Rocky Weidner

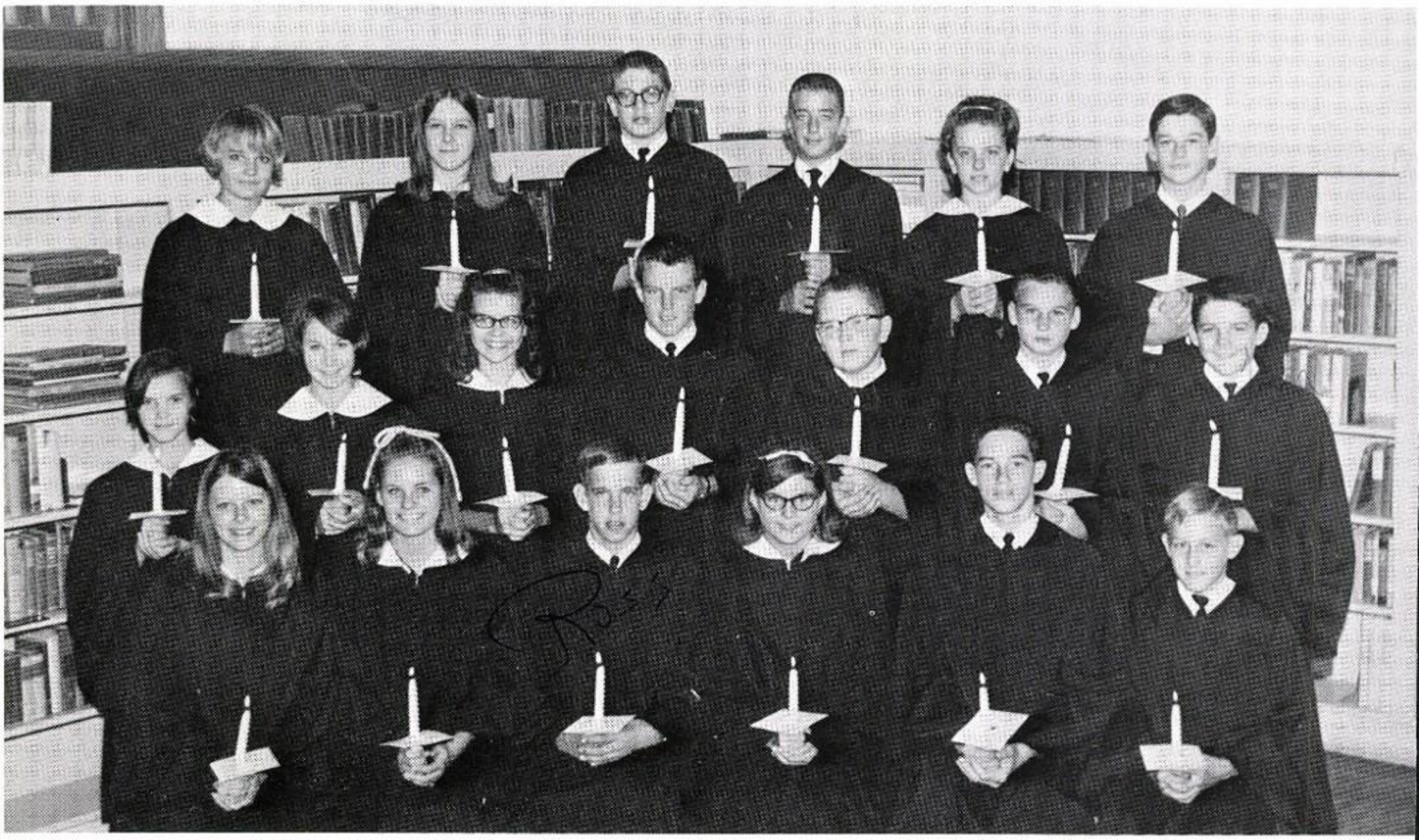
Bearcubs scamper to the rescue of their team mates.



B. J. H. S. students cheer their beloved Bearcubs onward.

These members of the Junior High Science Club certainly do look industrious, don't they?

Jr. High Student Council



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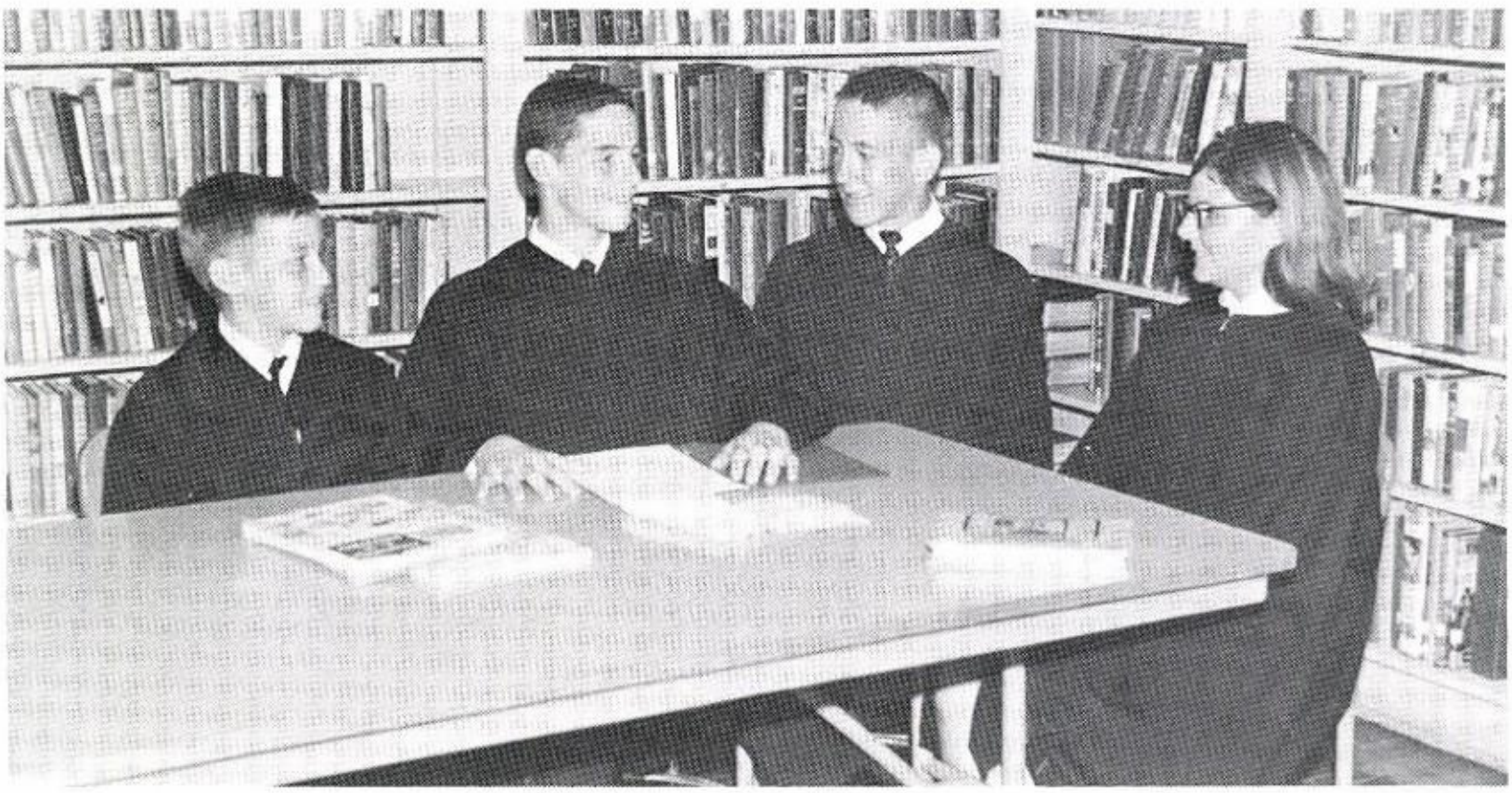


President - Ricky Akins
Vice-President - Johnny Halfman

Secretary - Kay Burkes
Reporter - Mark Lippe

JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS

Head	Tommye Jo Gabbart
Freshman	Kay Burkes
Eighth Grade	Sherri King
Eighth Grade	Donna Sharps

Jr-High Band

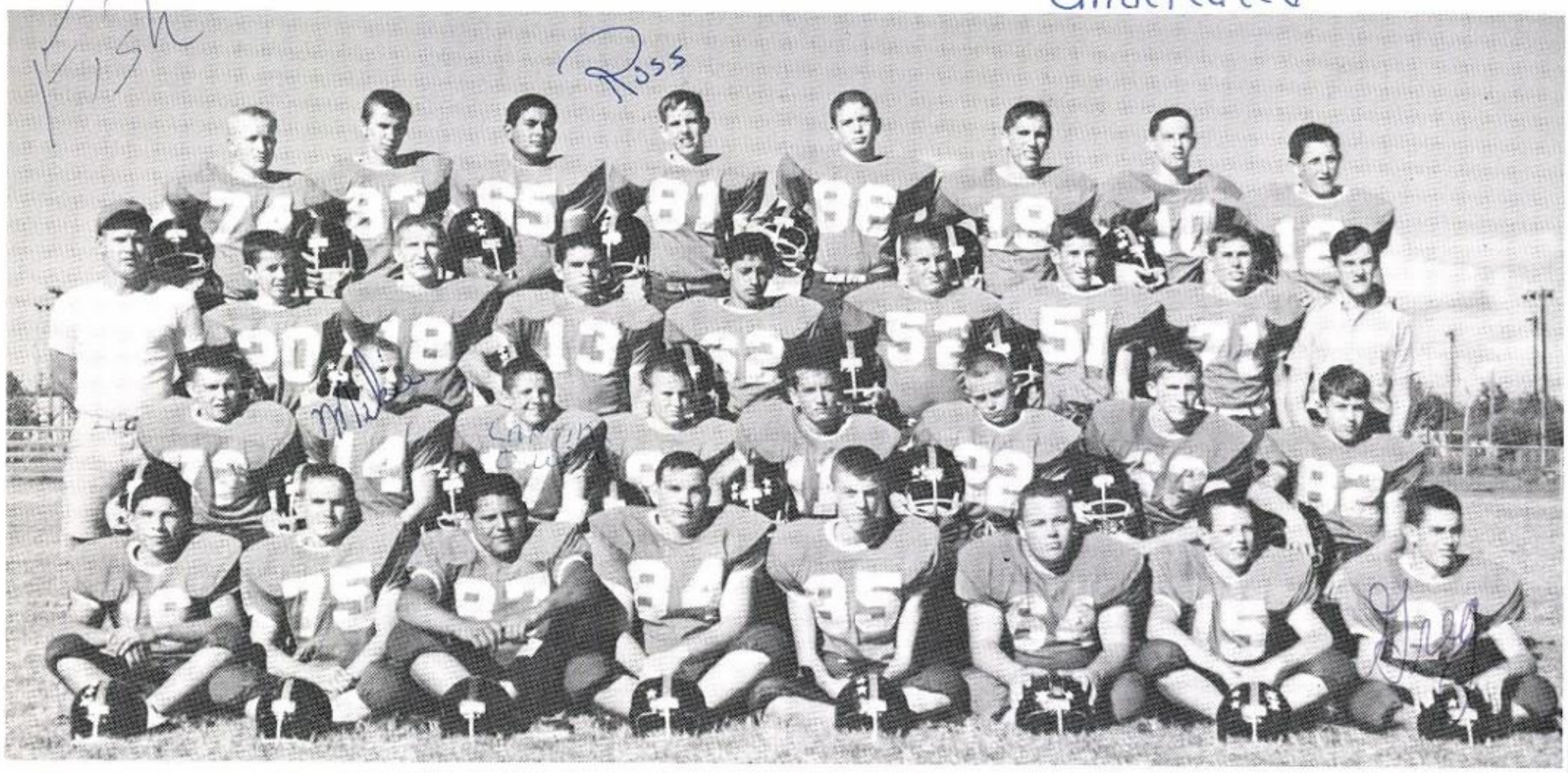
Row 1: C. Harral, K. McDaniel, A. Kresta, B. Barett. Row 2: M. Midgley, M. Chase, R. Sloan, S. King, K. Stokes, J. Neighbors, J. Hubbell, J. Stone, F. Rodriquez, J. Perez, J. Reyes, C. Bryan. Row 3: D. Smith, M. Perry, G. Mullins, M. Smith, D. Duarte, R. Farris, L. Travis, M. Bigby, D. Kresta, E. Dela Garza, C. Vancil, R. Kotrlik, S. White, A. Wiseman, K. Routh. Row 4: S. Buxkemper, J. Graves, T. Merck, D. Sharpes.

JUNIOR HIGH TWIRLERS

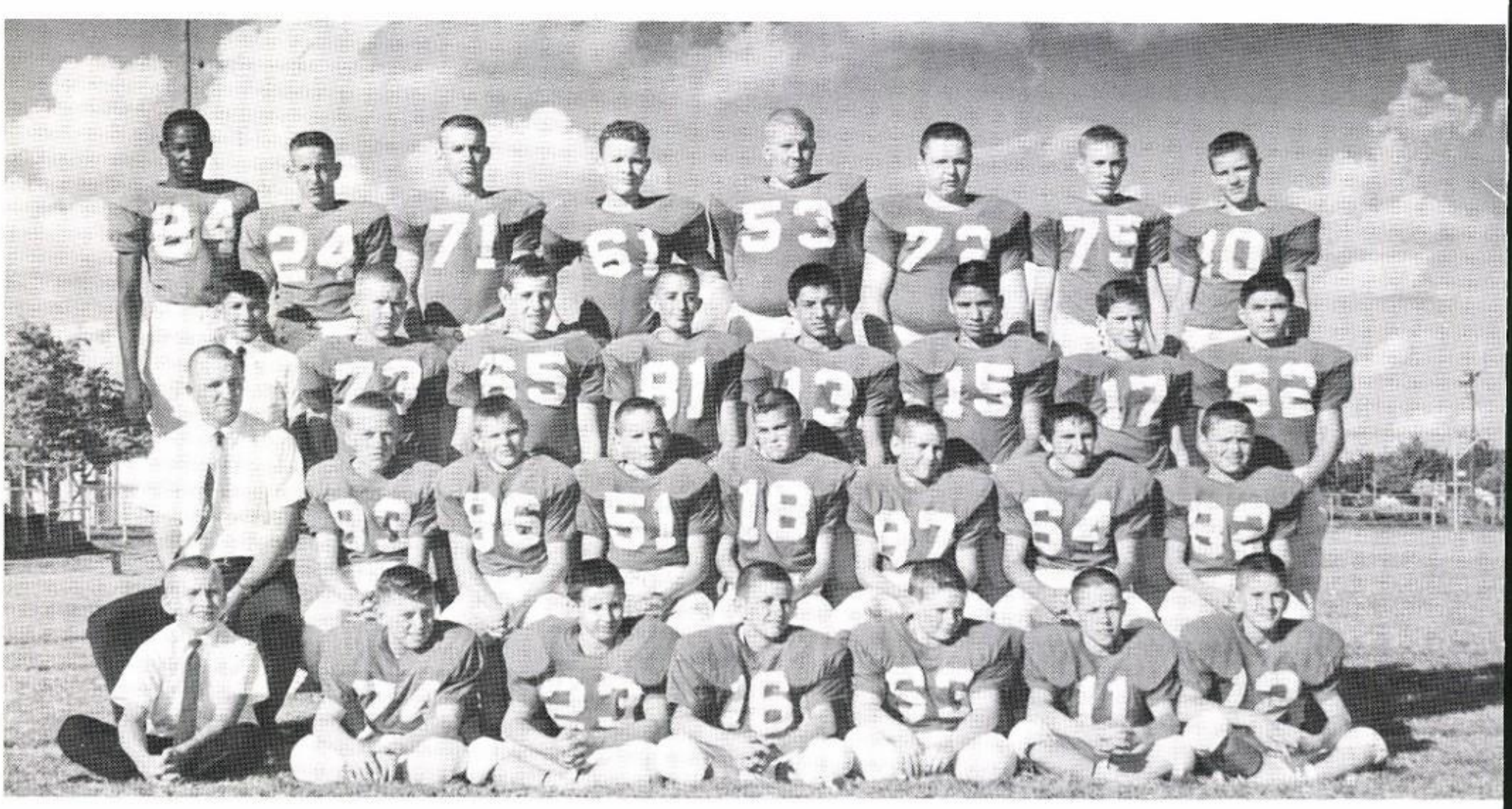
Carolyn Bryan
Chris Harrall
Becky Barrett

Freshmen "Bearcubs"

Undefeated



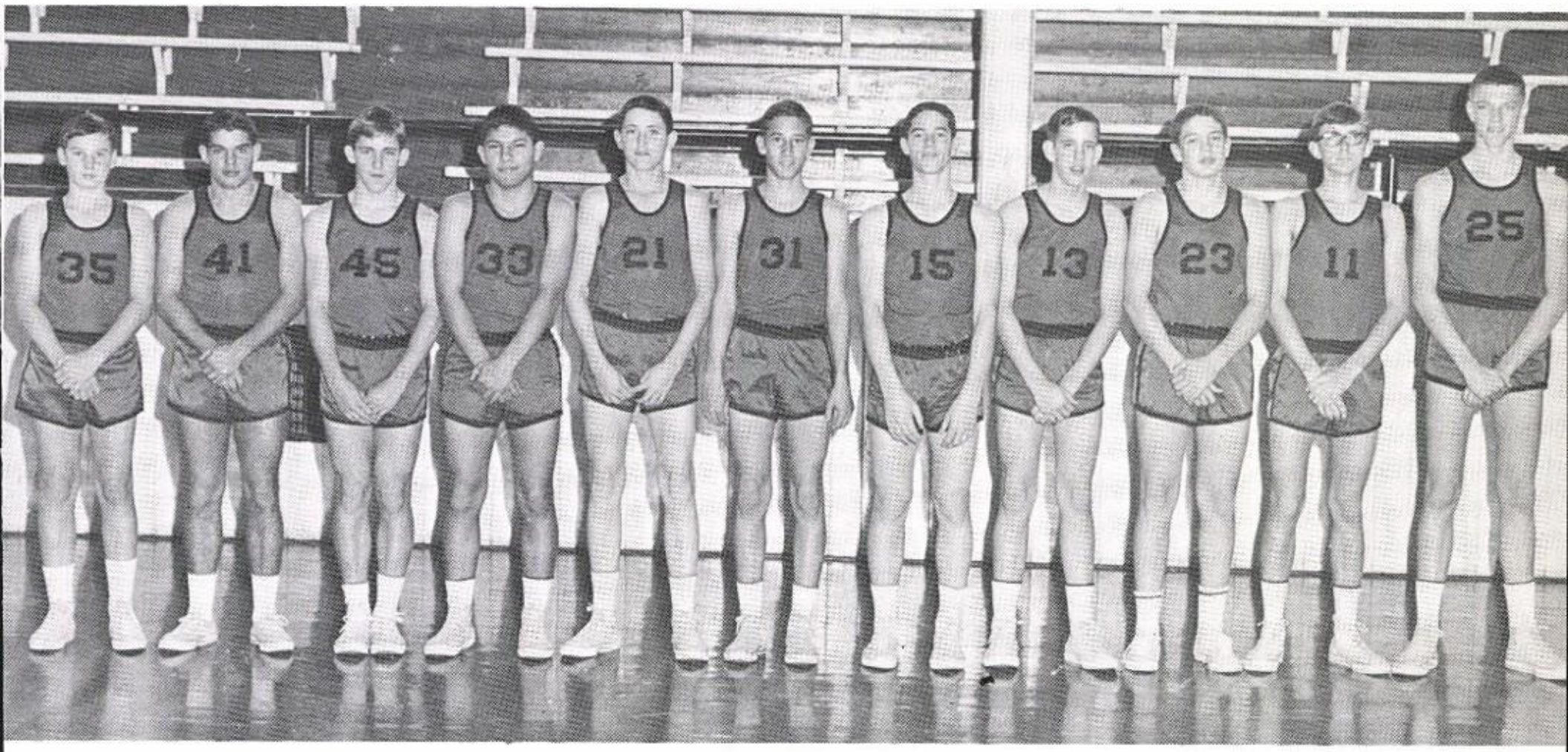
Row 1: R. Ramos, D. Hallmark, R. Flores, D. Robinson, S. Routh, B. Hodges, J. Patterson, G. Busenlehner. Row 2: T. Hogue, M. Lyles, T. Sykes, B. Bryan, D. Keesee, M. Crosson, T. Sawyer, D. Haley. Row 3: Coach Williams, G. Walker, L. Winchester, S. Kemp, O. Nombrano, B. Wanoreck, S. Everett, B. Wheeler, M. Fuqua. Row 4: P. Hamilton, W. Knight, J. Armendariz, R. Hearn, E. McConnell, J. Cole, R. Akins, R. Fiveash.



Row 1: B. Gray, K. Routh, W. Johnson, W. Byler, J. Herring, T. Gabbert, P. Boggess. Row 2: Coach Ruthven, B. McNalley, W. Davenport, T. Pritchard, B. Owens, B. Legg, G. Overby, R. Bryan. Row 3: P. Garcia, J. Cook, M. Mueller, K. Brown, C. Garcia, T. Picon, M. Farmer, H. Pena. Row 4: T. Dabney, J. Hoffman, G. Wallace, D. Watley, M. Haliburton, C. Jones, T. Follis, D. Weidner.

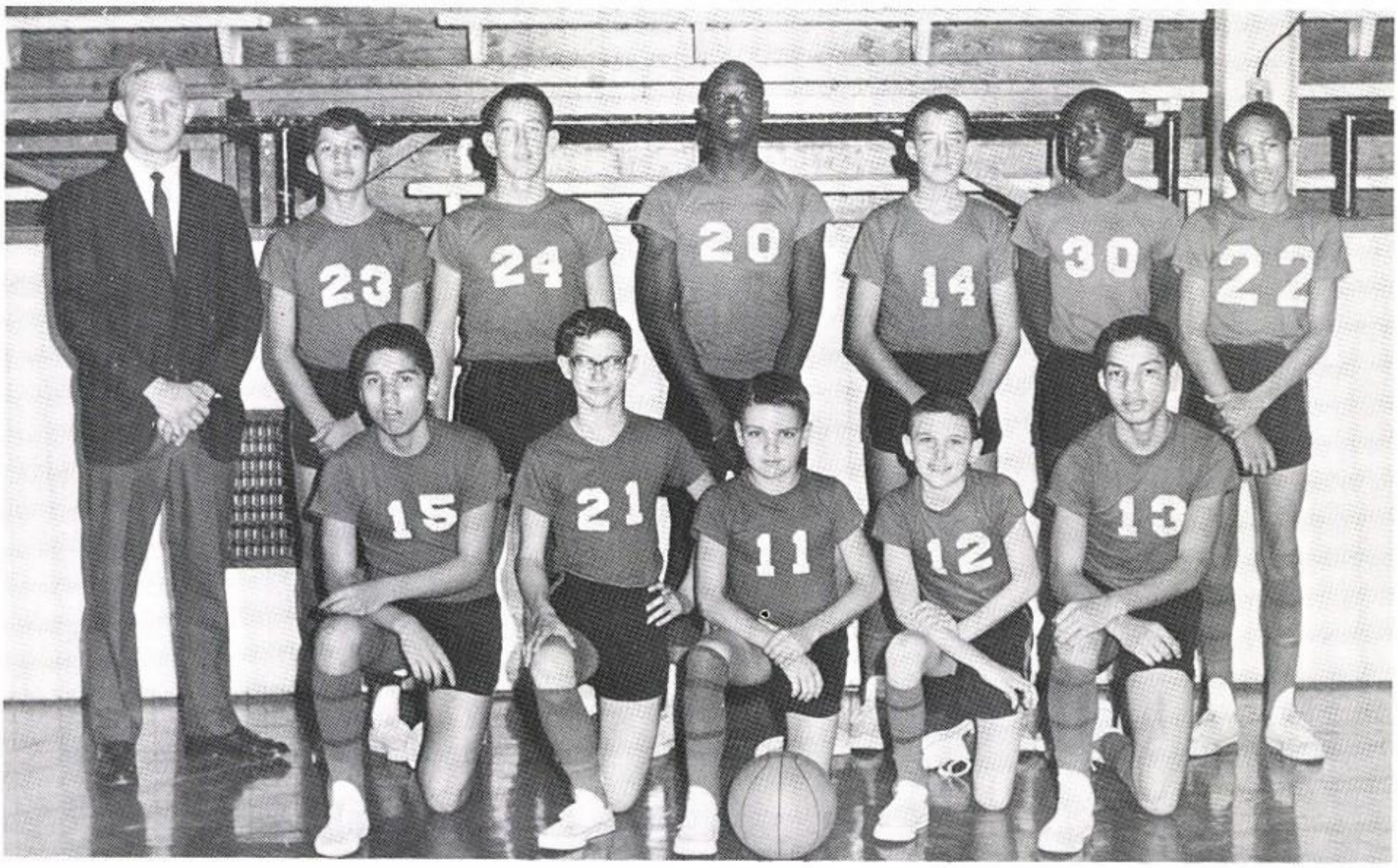
Eighth Grade

Freshman Basketball

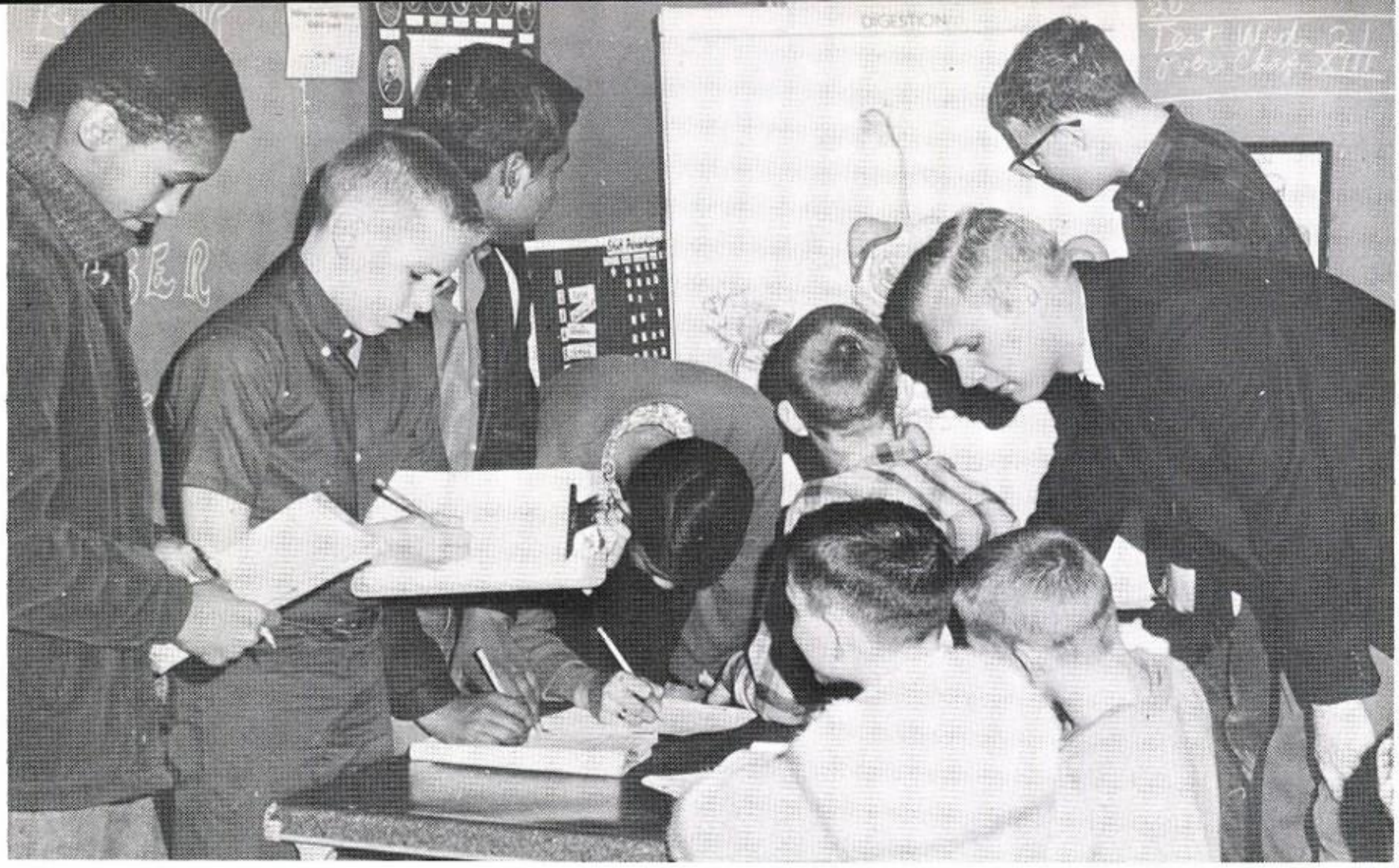


B. Bryan, S. Kemp, C. Sawyer, R. Ramos, R. Fiveash, S. Everett, R. Akins, R. Hearn, E. McConnell, S. Shepard, S. Routh.

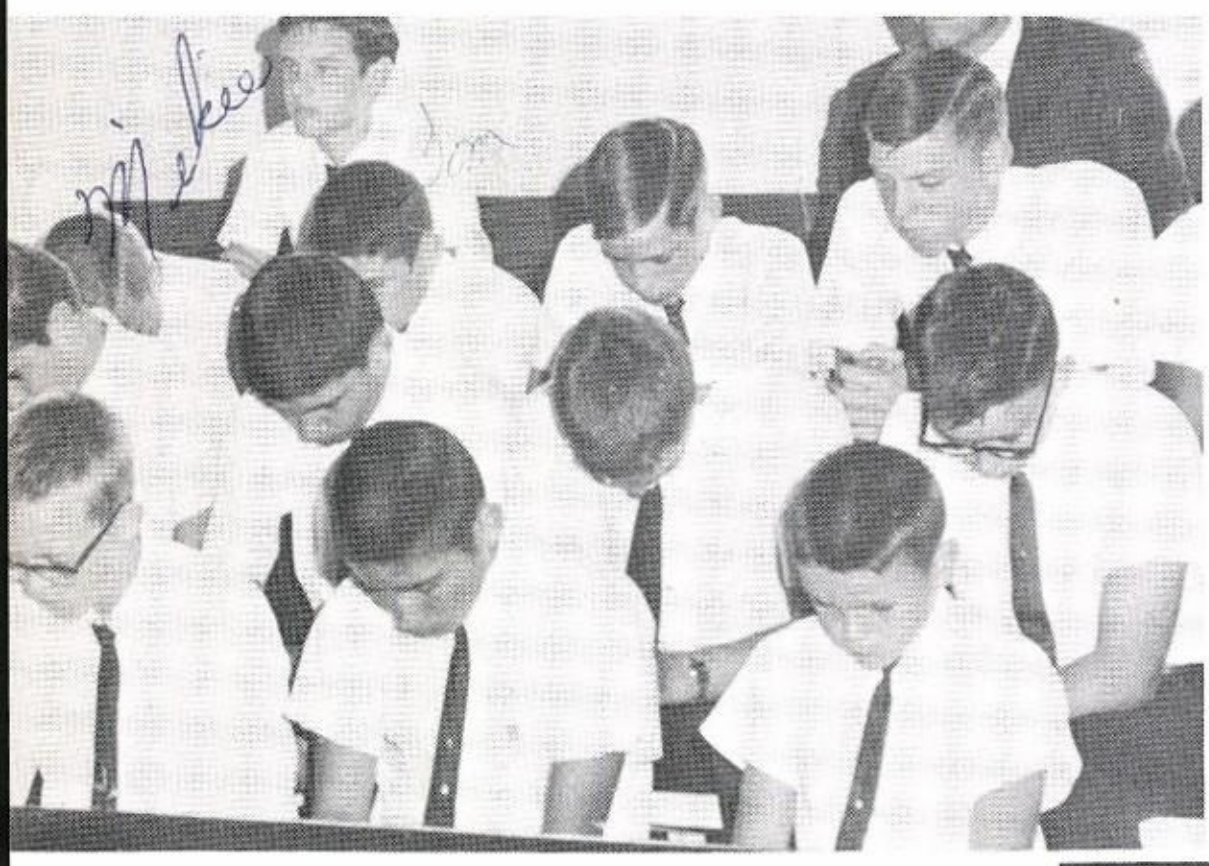
8th Grade Basketball



Row 1: T. Picon, M. Farmer, R. Bryan, W. Byler, C. Garcia. Row 2: Coach McCown, P. Garcia, J. Hoffman, T. Dabney, K. Brown, S. Field, R. Green.

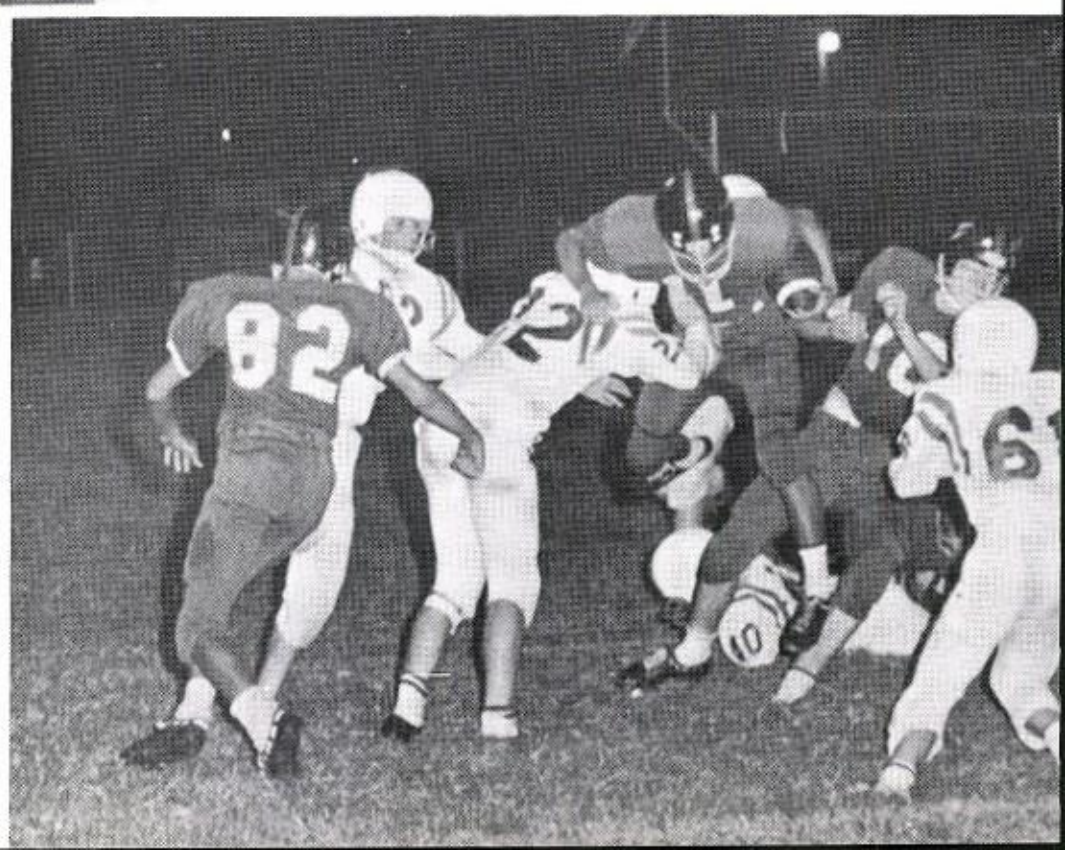


"Hurry up fellows and make it look good, it's almost time for report cards to come out!" The fellow who is doing the urging is Mr. McCown, replacing Coach Ruthven as 8th grade Science teacher and Coach.



Tension mounts as the Bearcubs await an exciting game.

Bearcubs fight for a vital gain in yardage.



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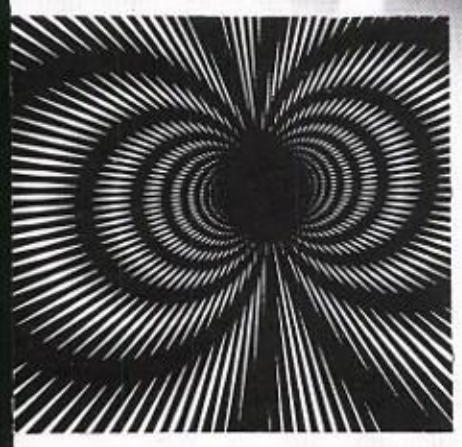

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Martha,
M.Y.F. and Civics
just wouldn't have been
the same without you!
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I'll miss you next year!
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Elaine

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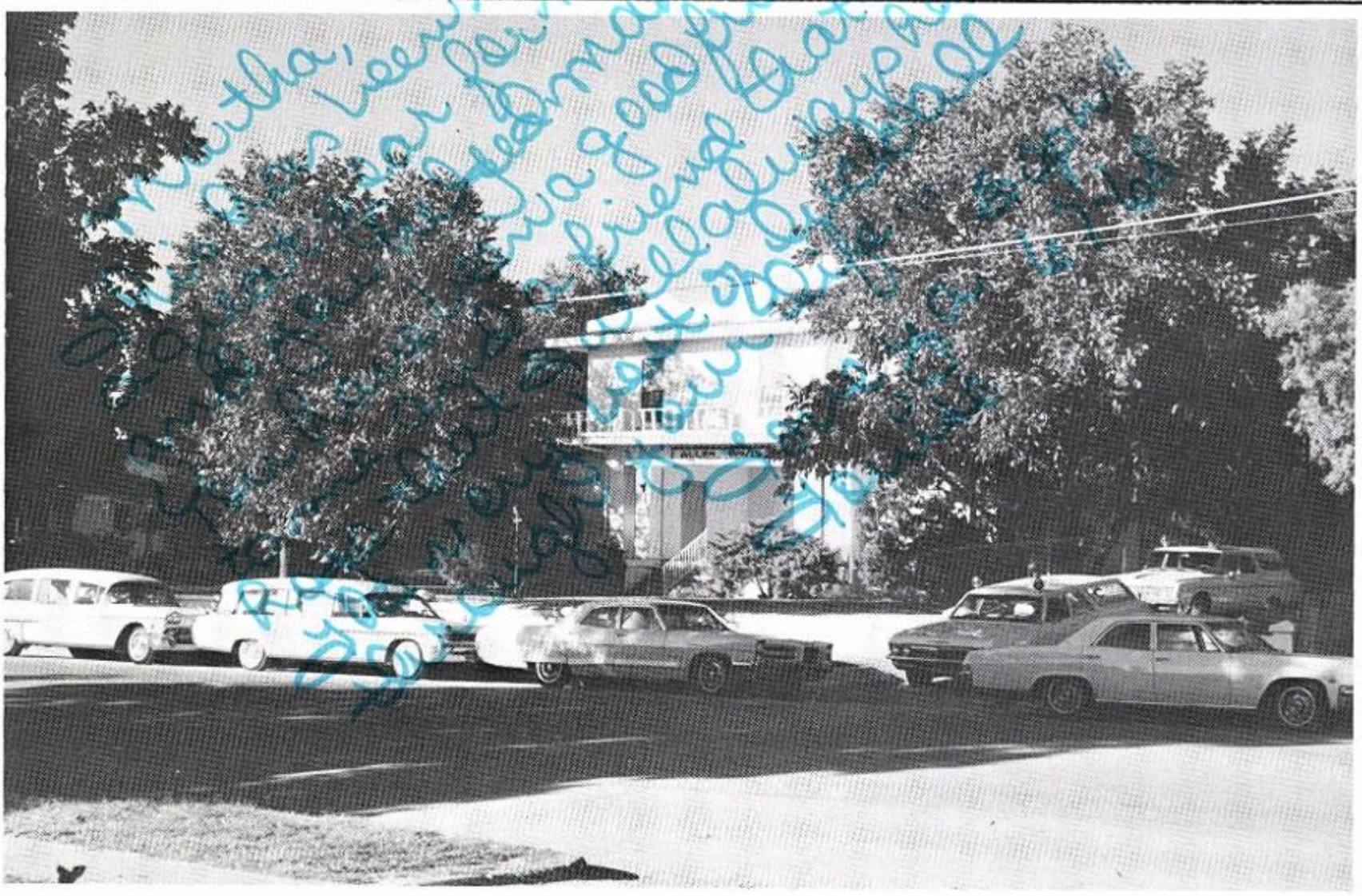

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Martha
Lots of luck
to a great
Sr. girl.
Love ya.
Vicki

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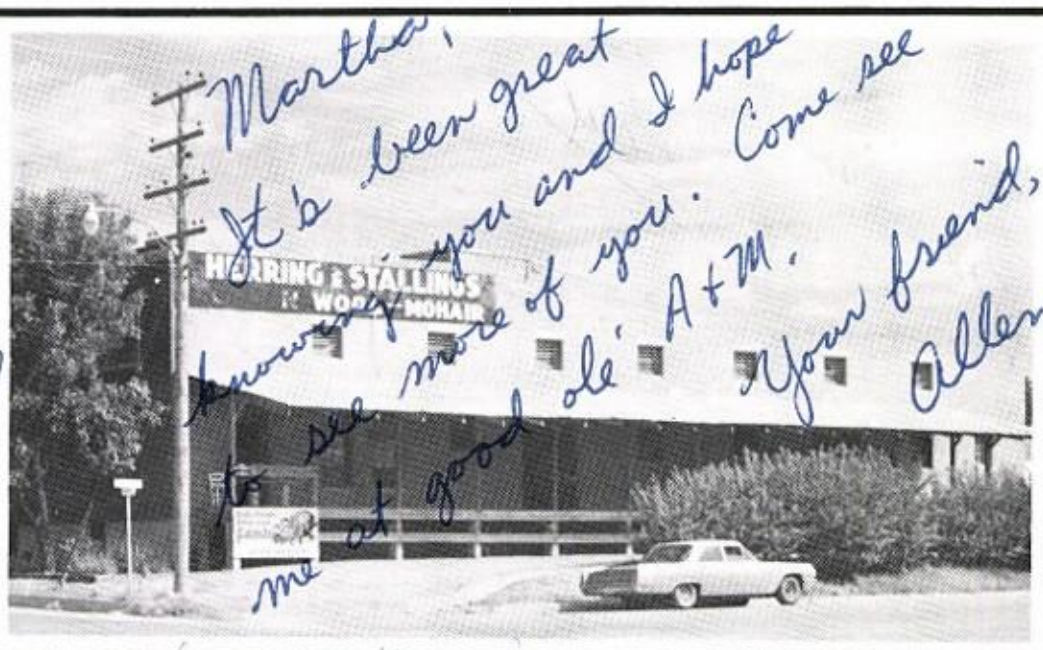
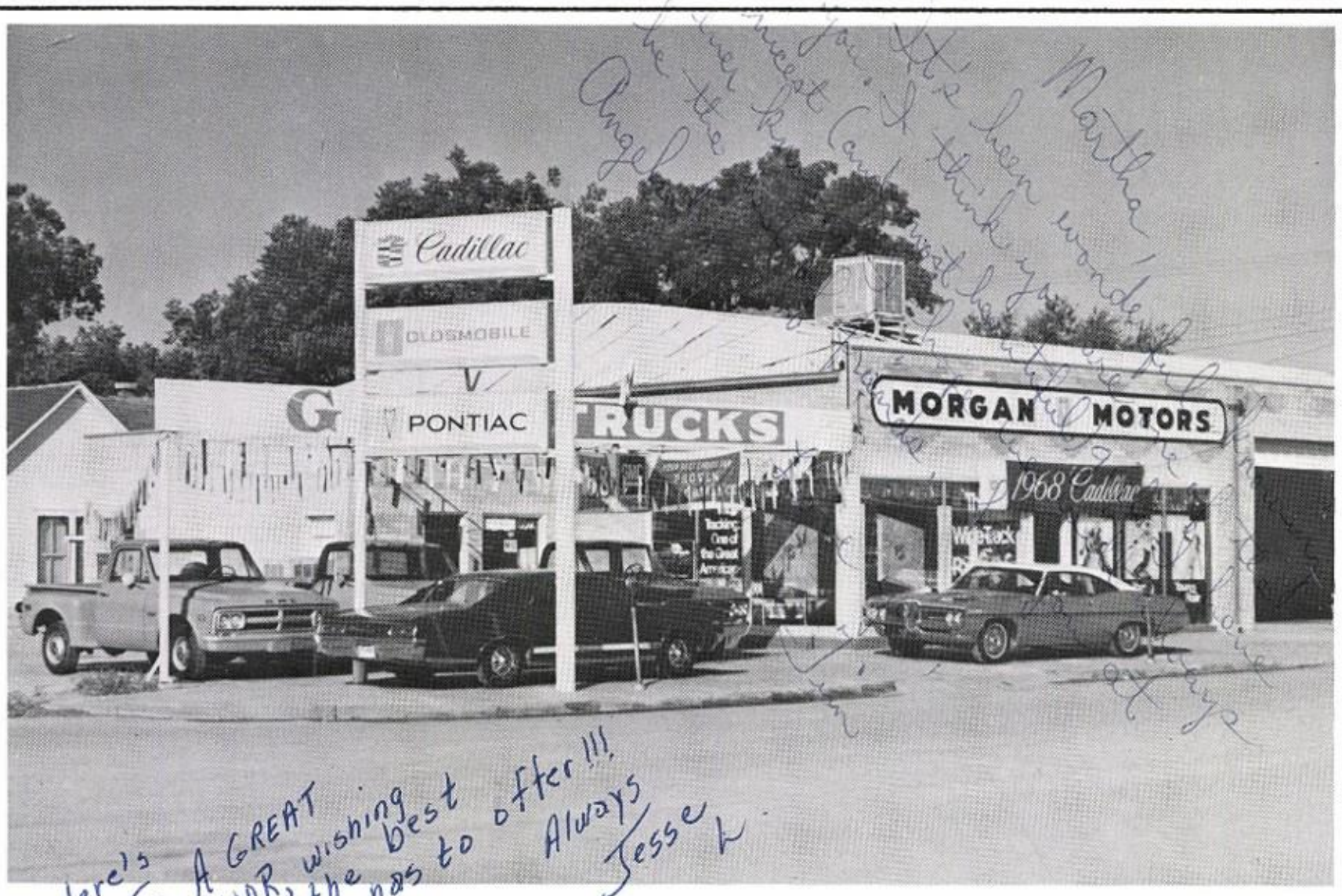


Martha,
It's been great
knowing you and I hope
to see more of you. Come see
me at good ole' A+M.
Your friend,
Allen



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Always
Jesse L.

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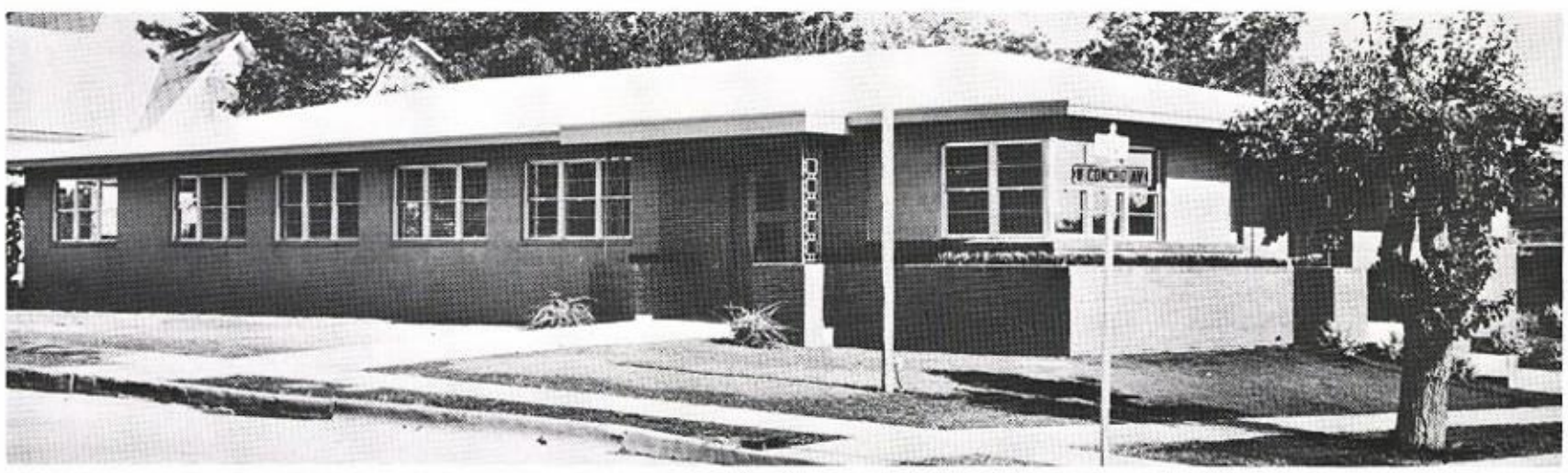

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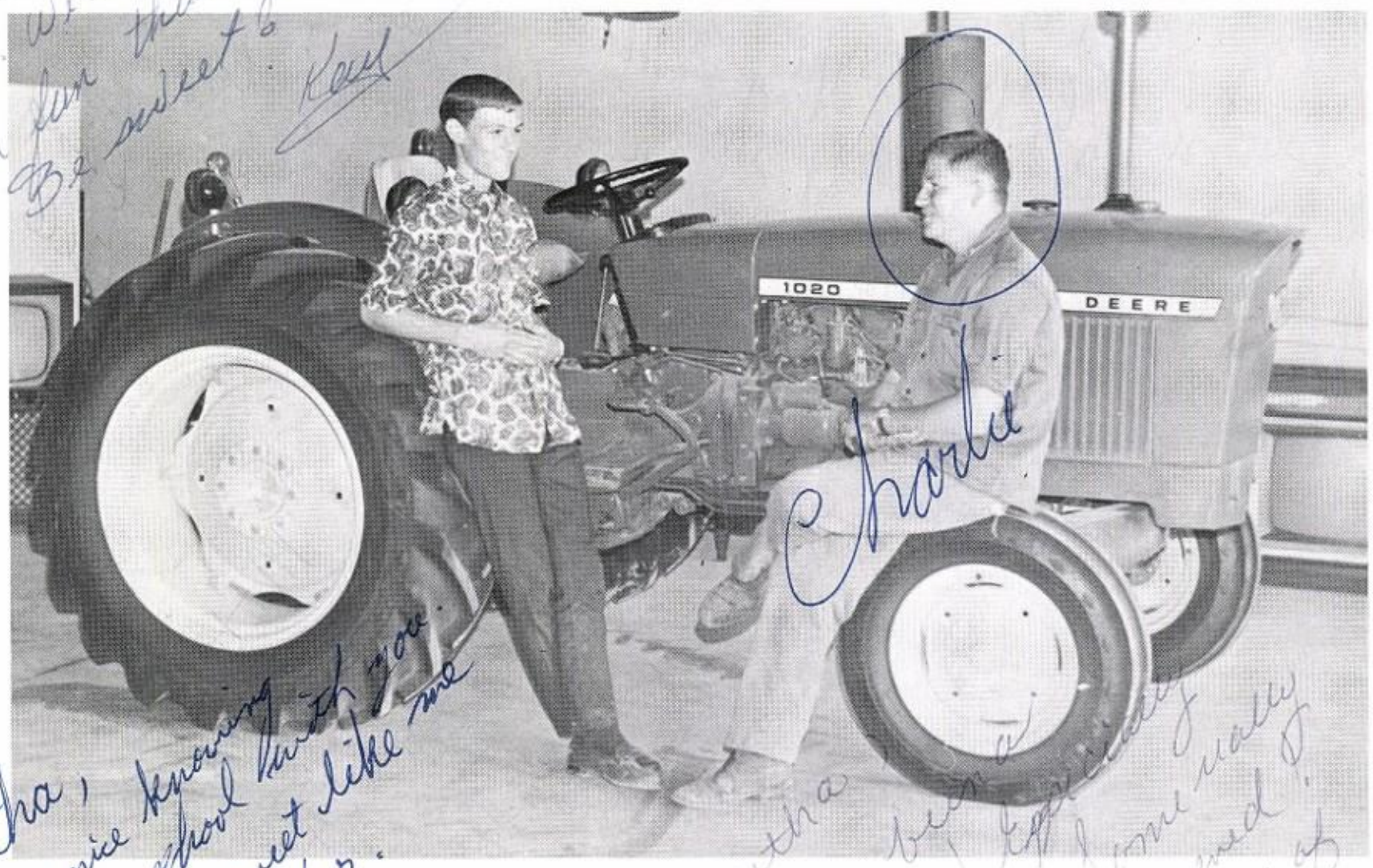

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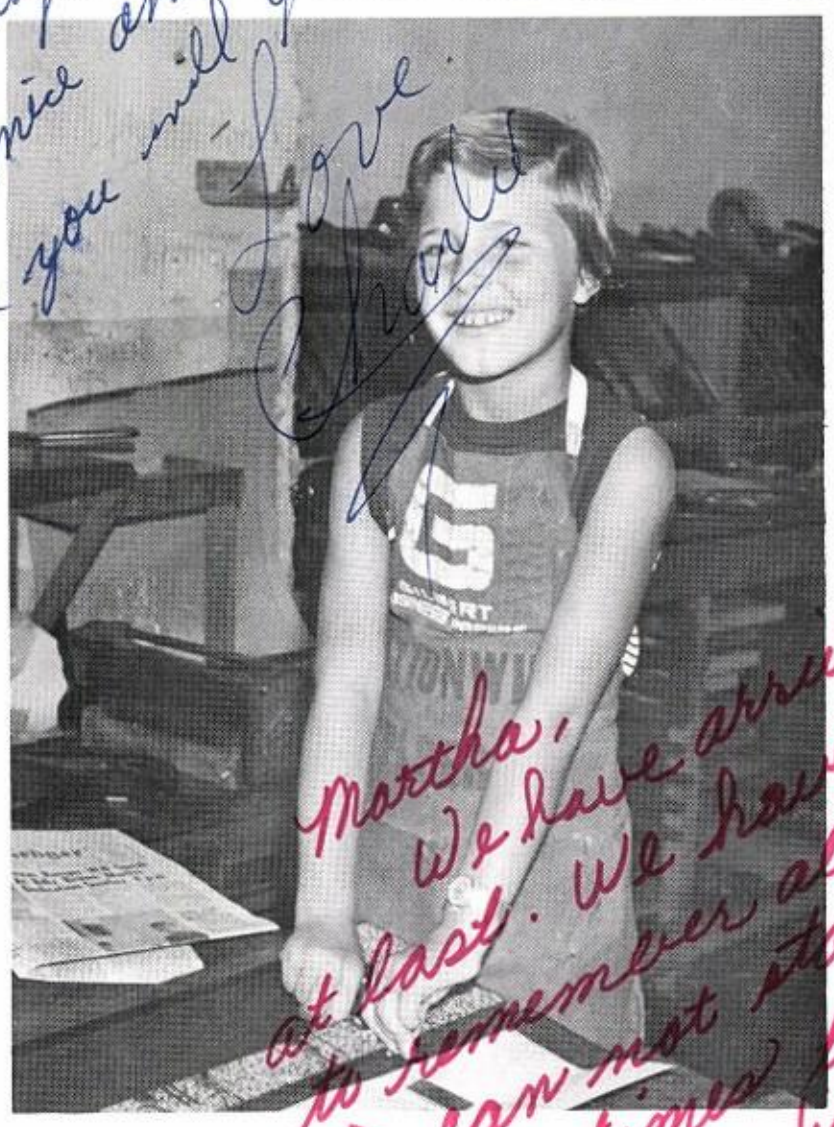

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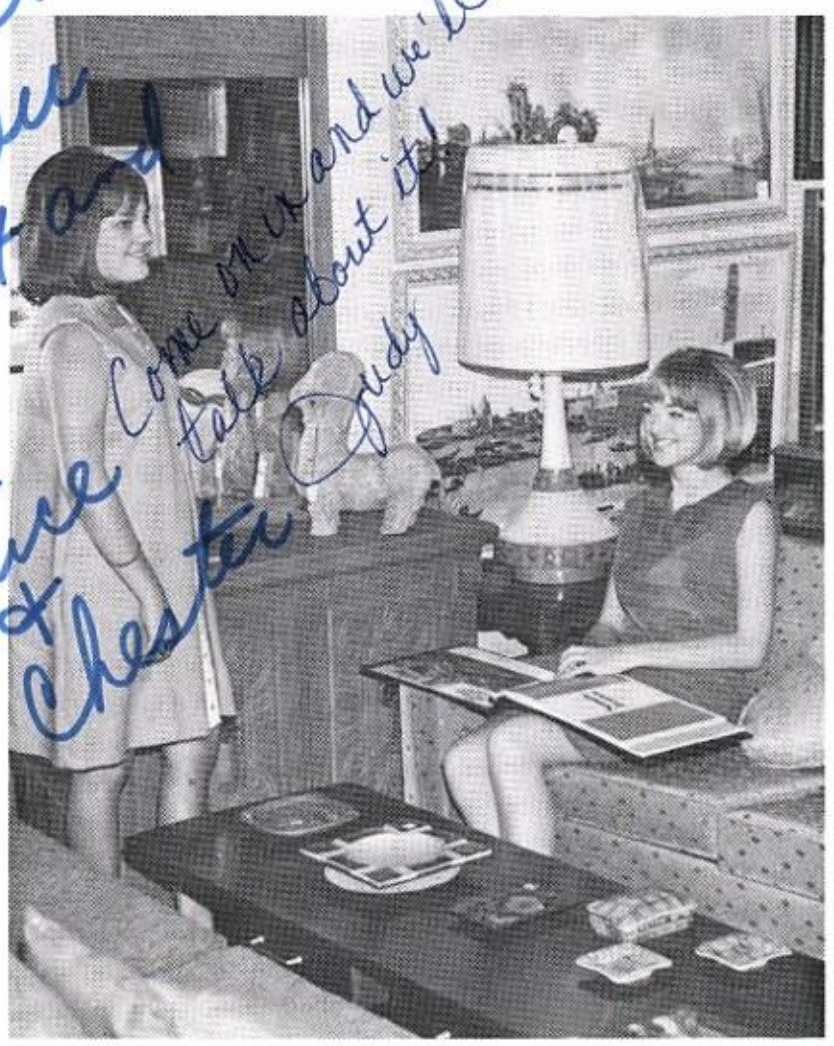

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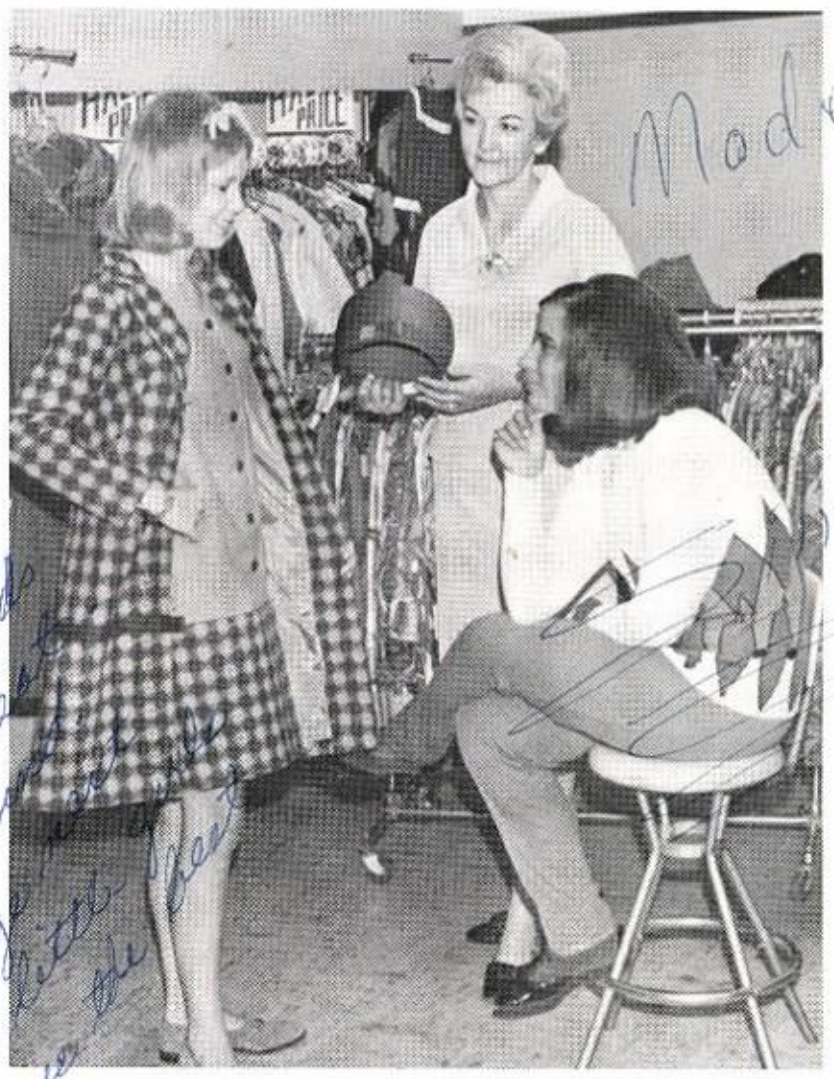

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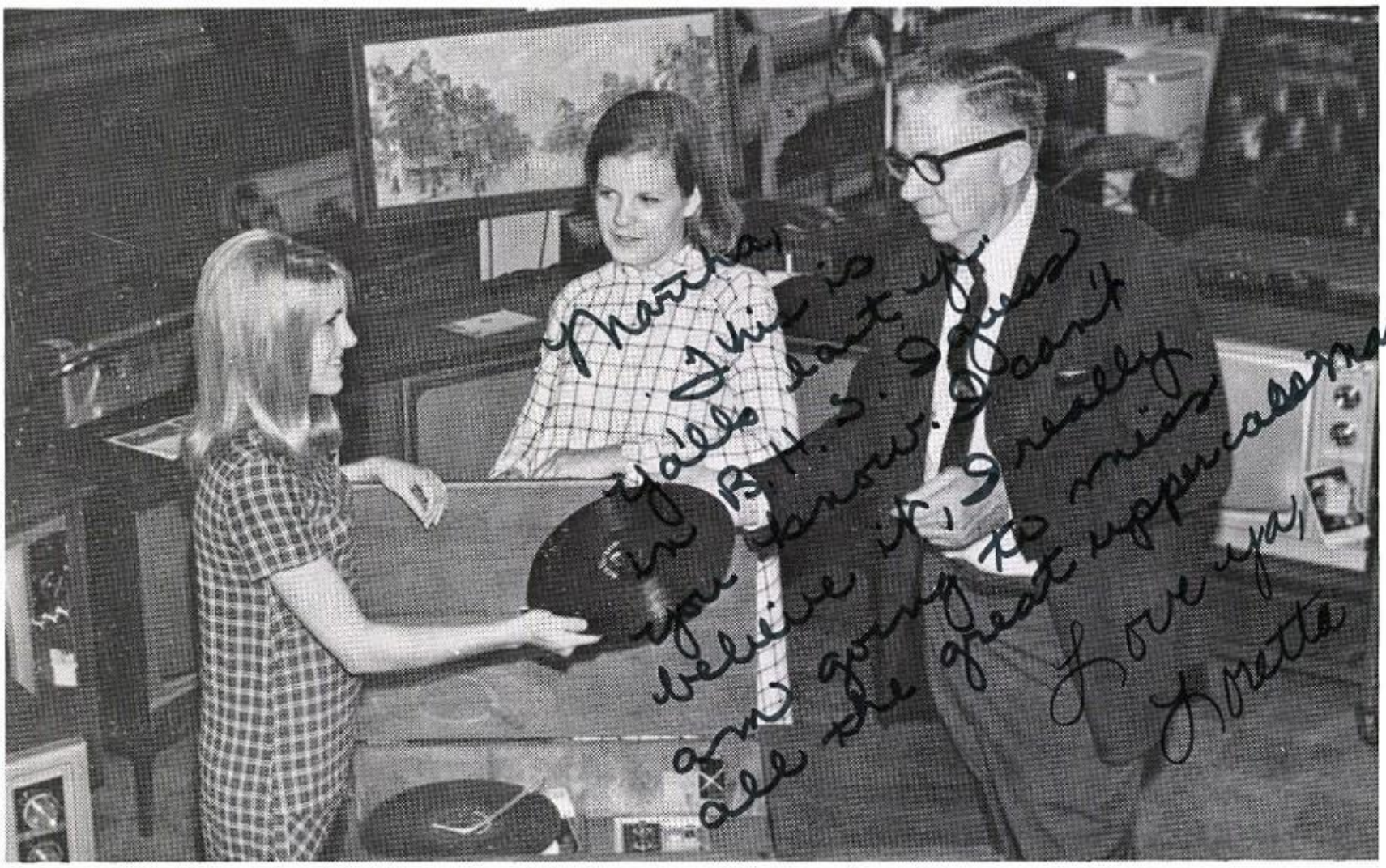

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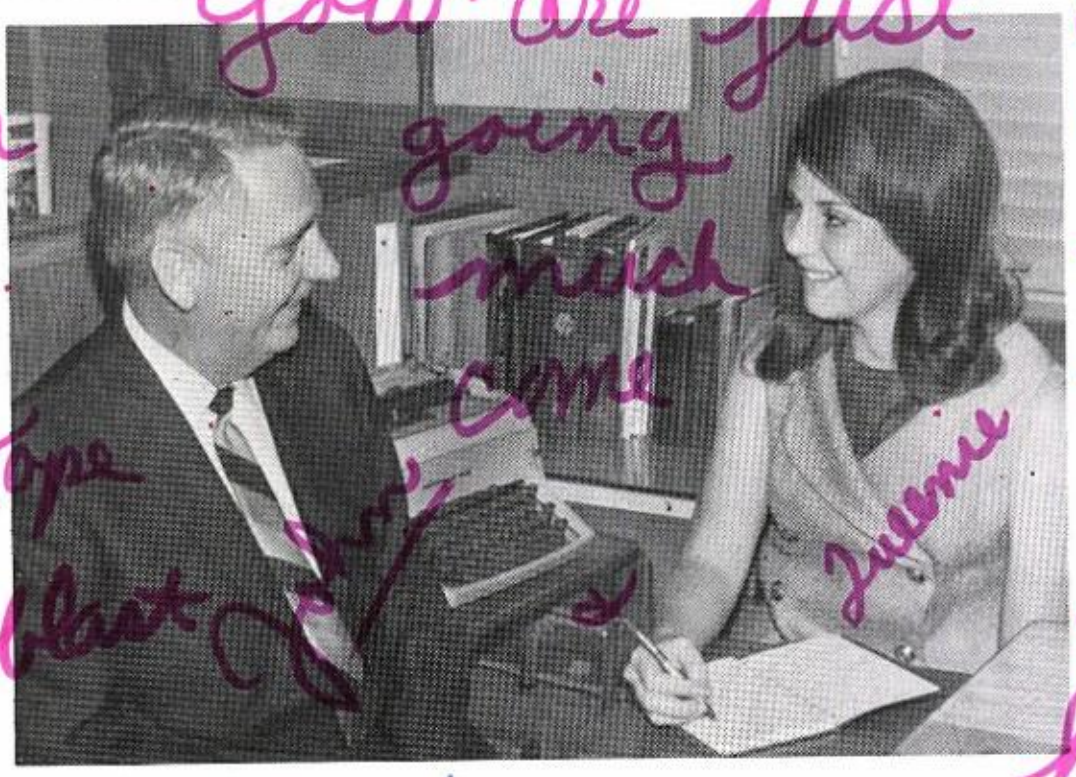

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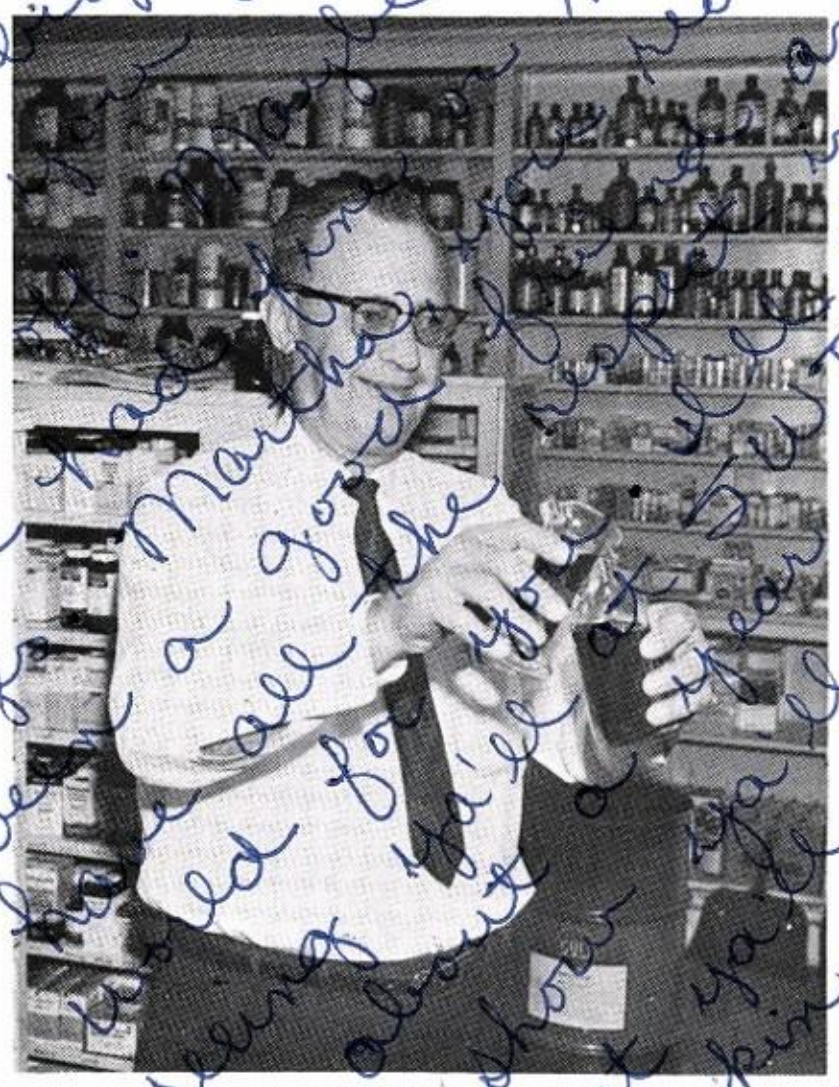

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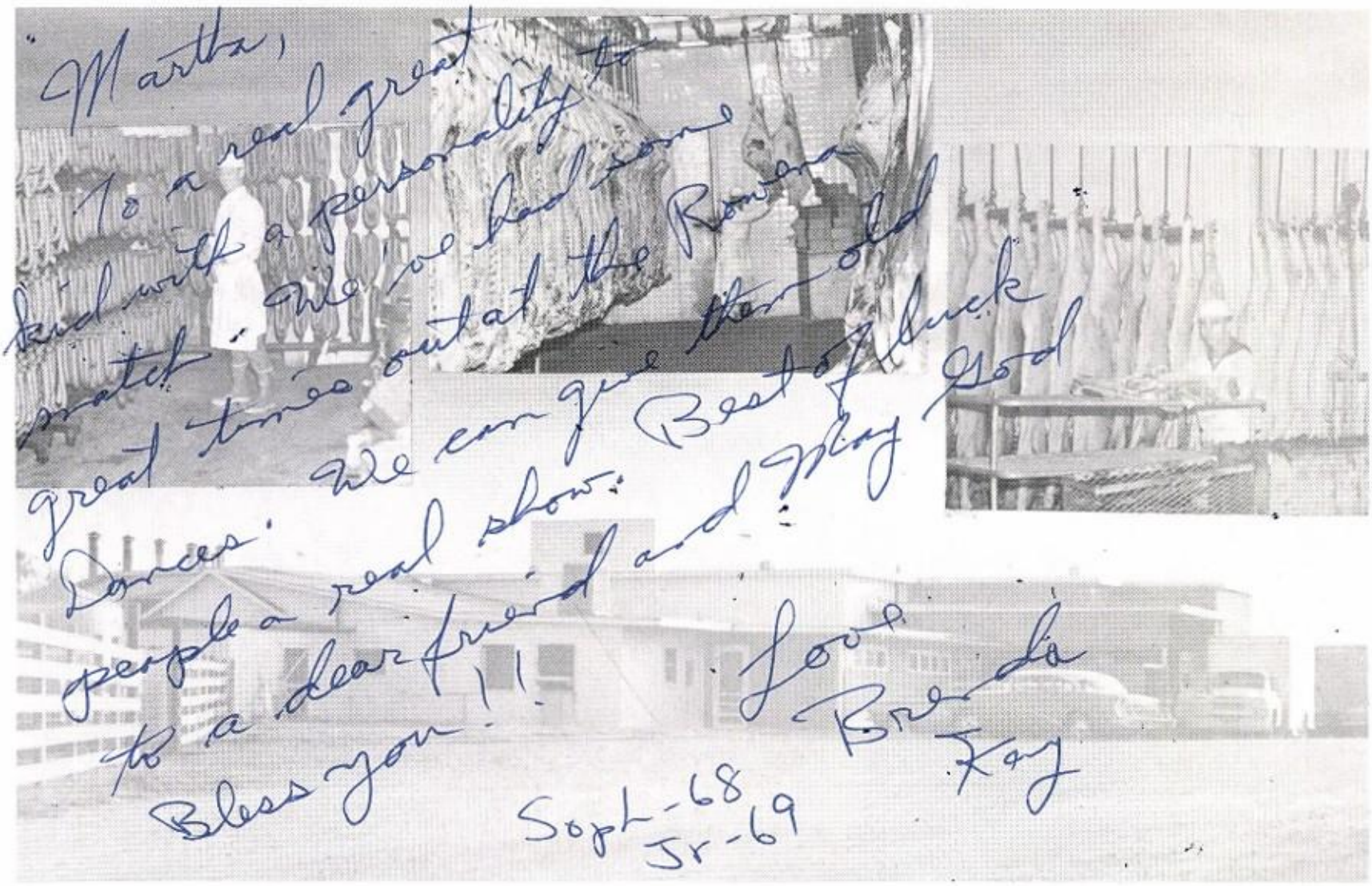

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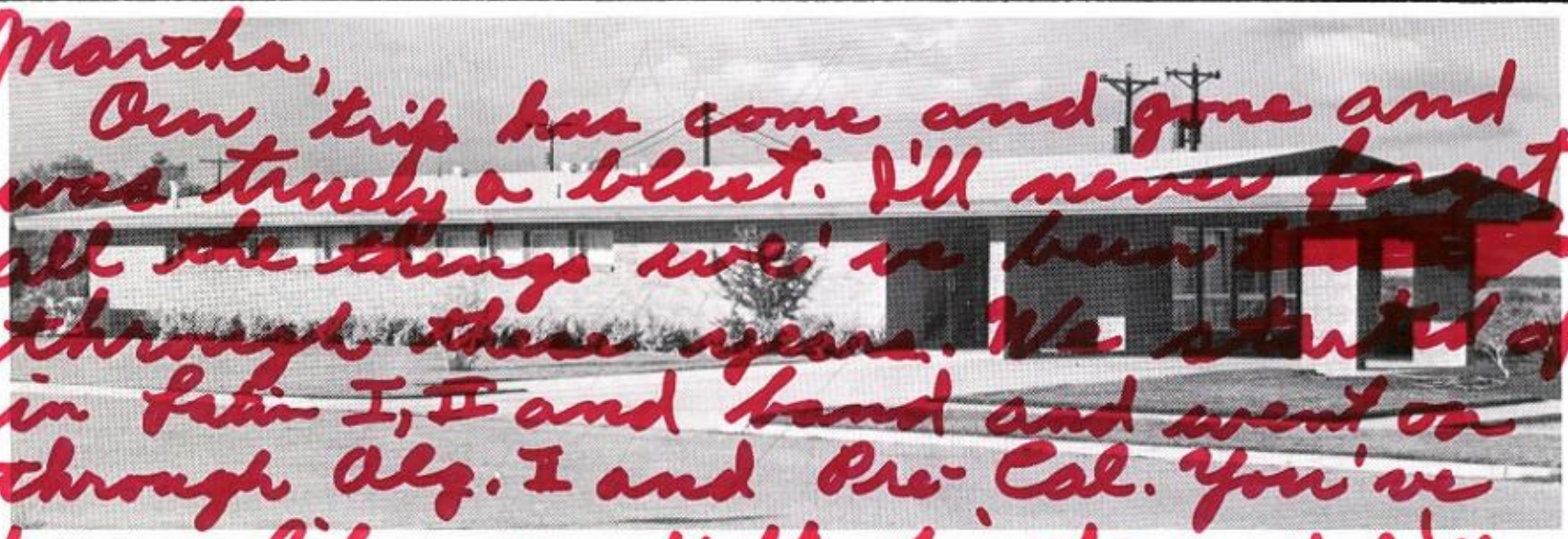
Love,
John



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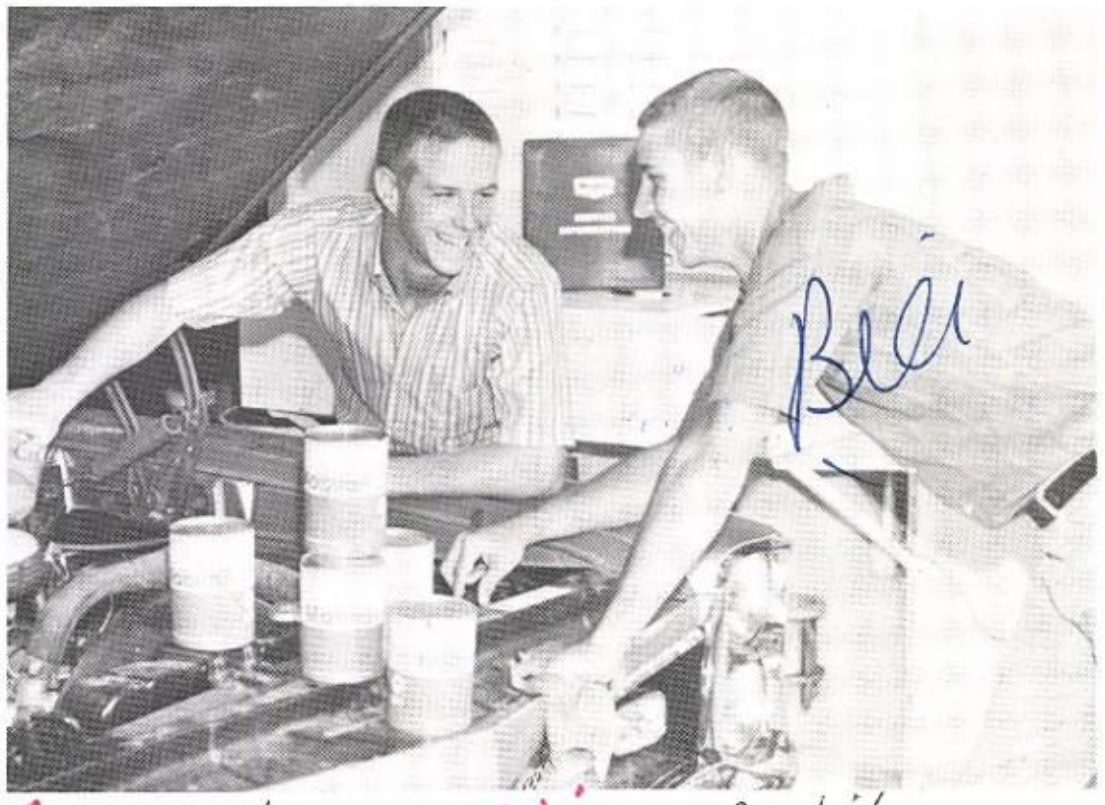

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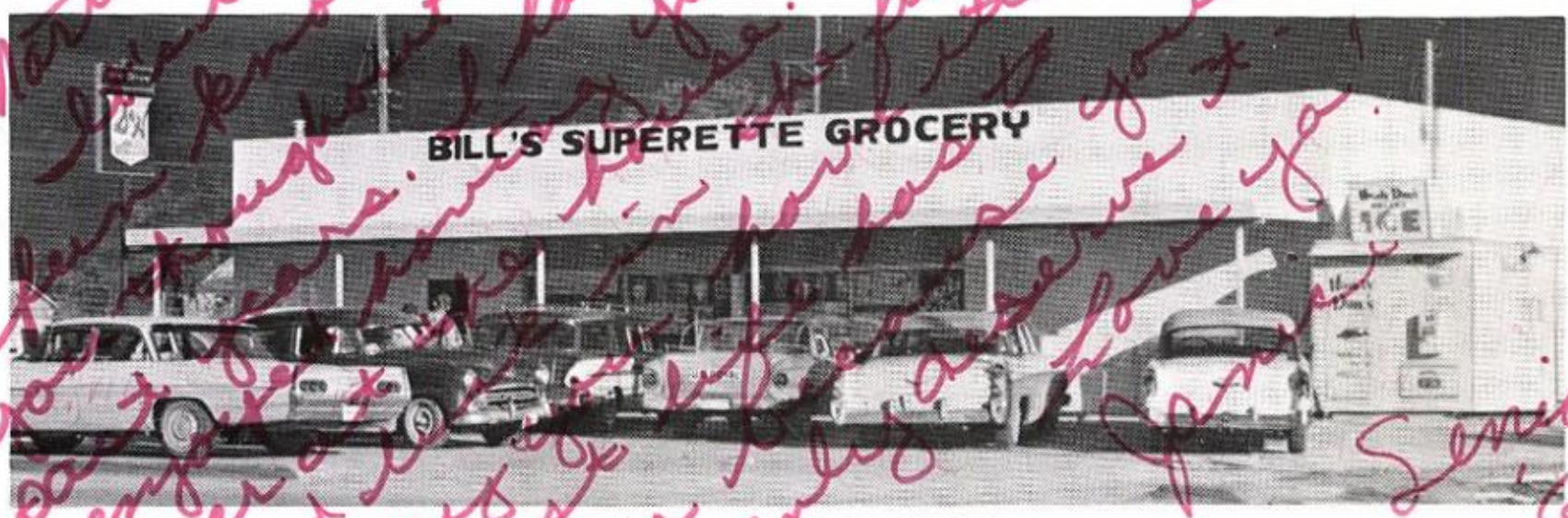

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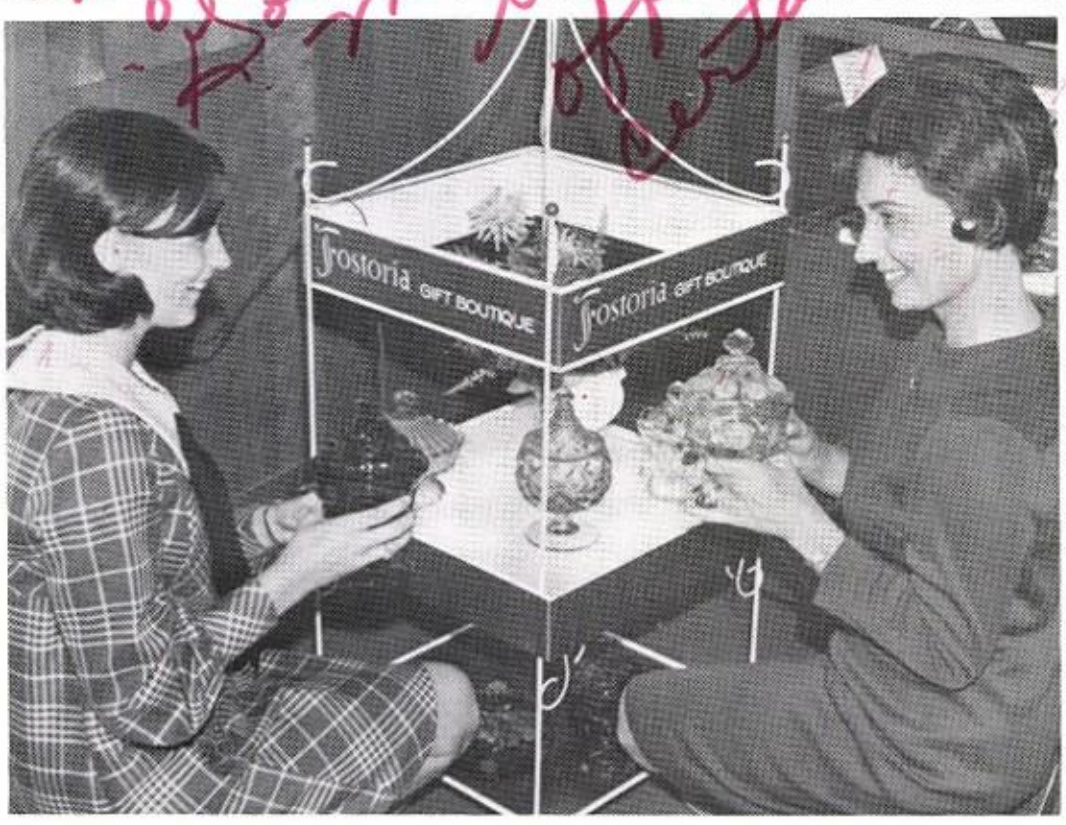

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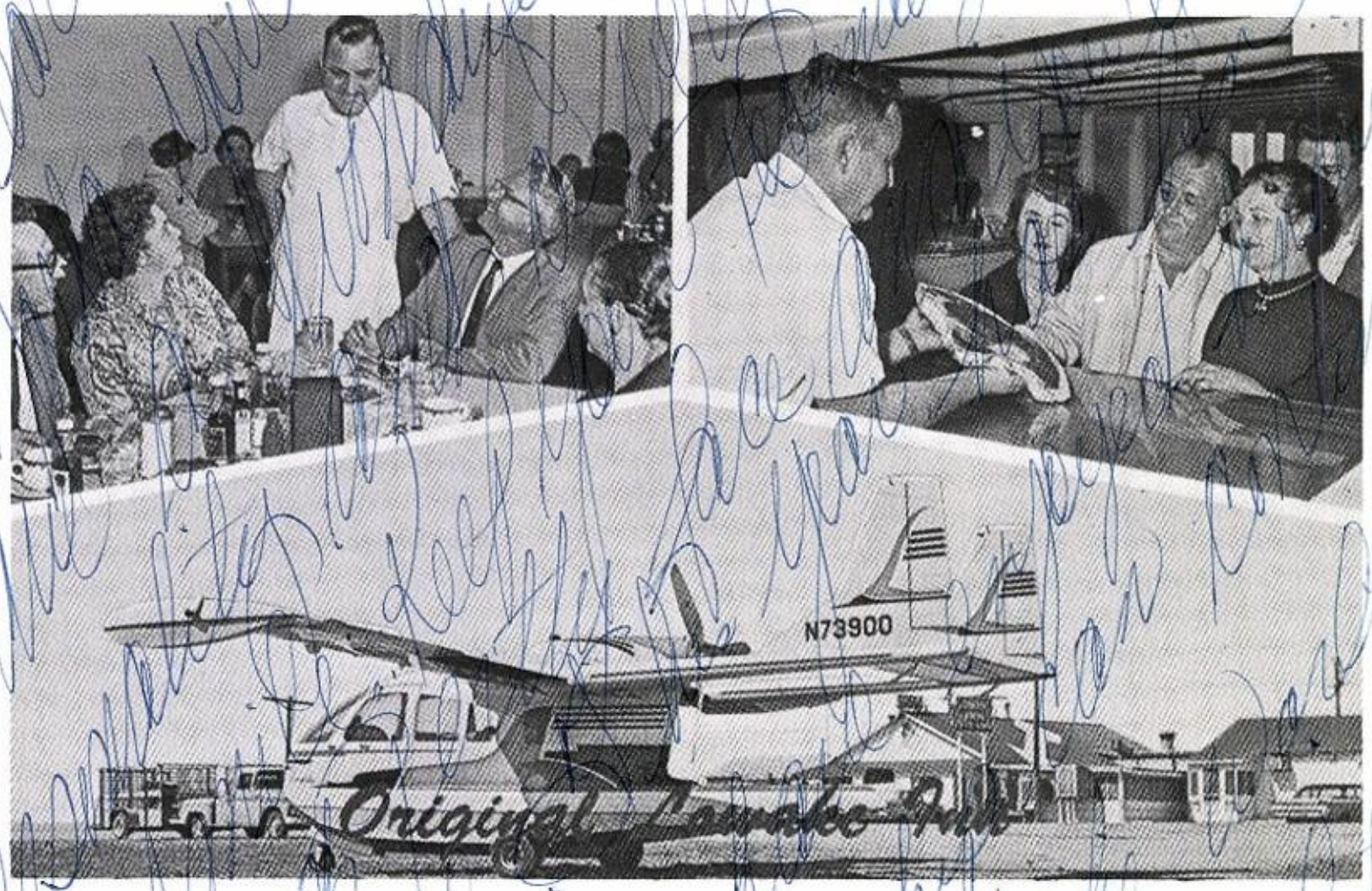

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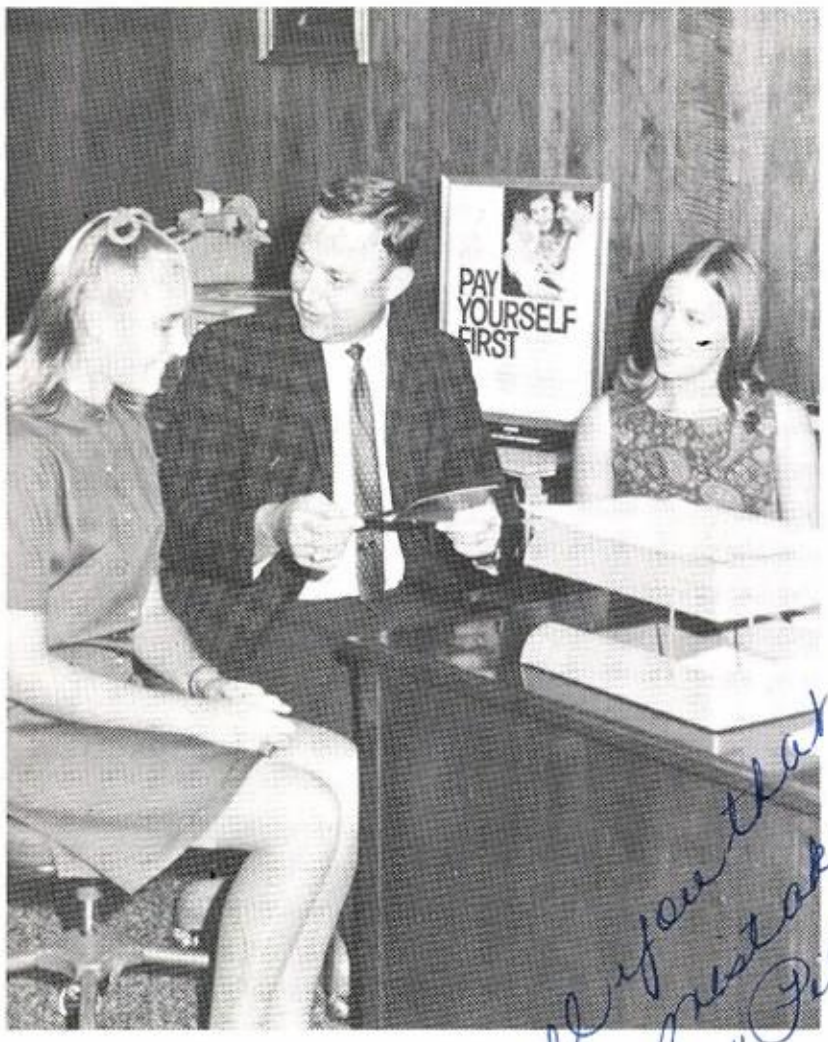

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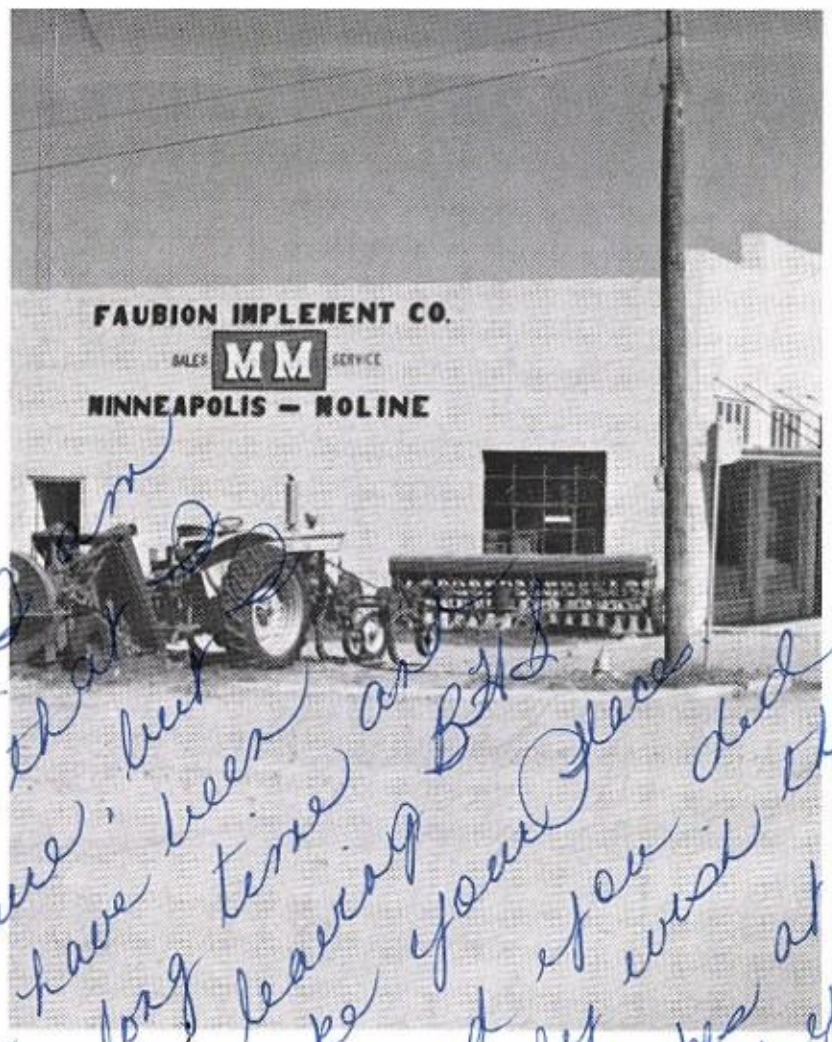

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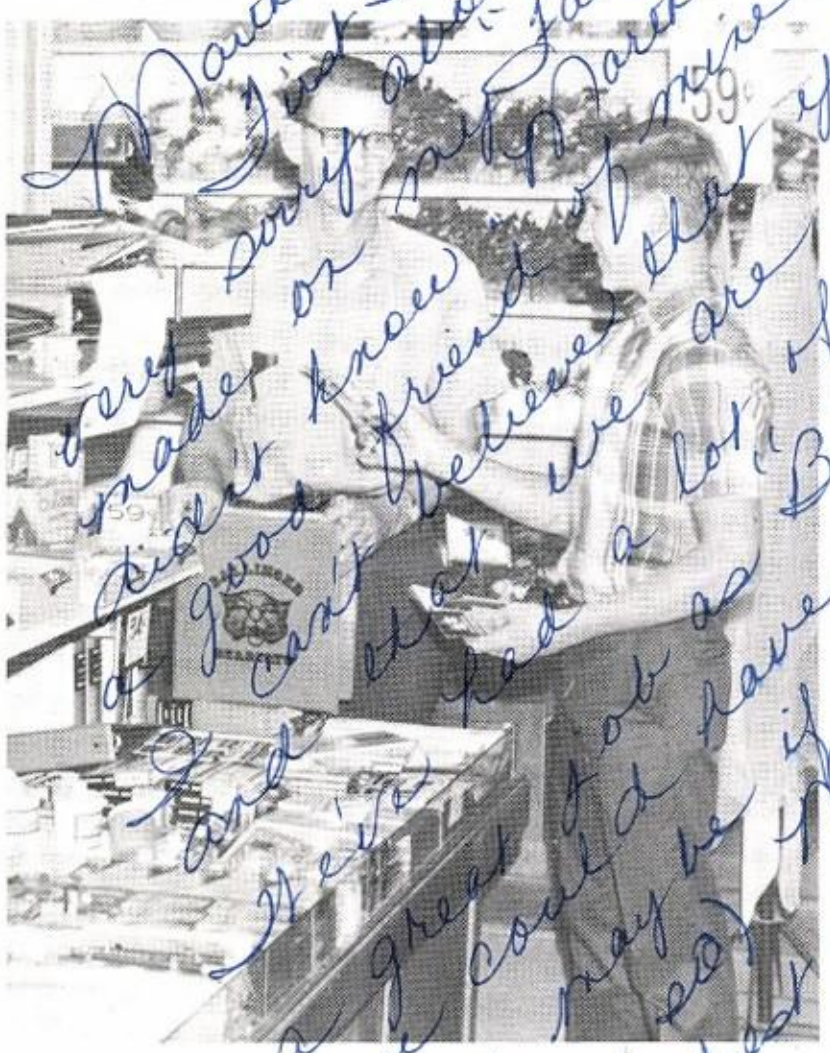

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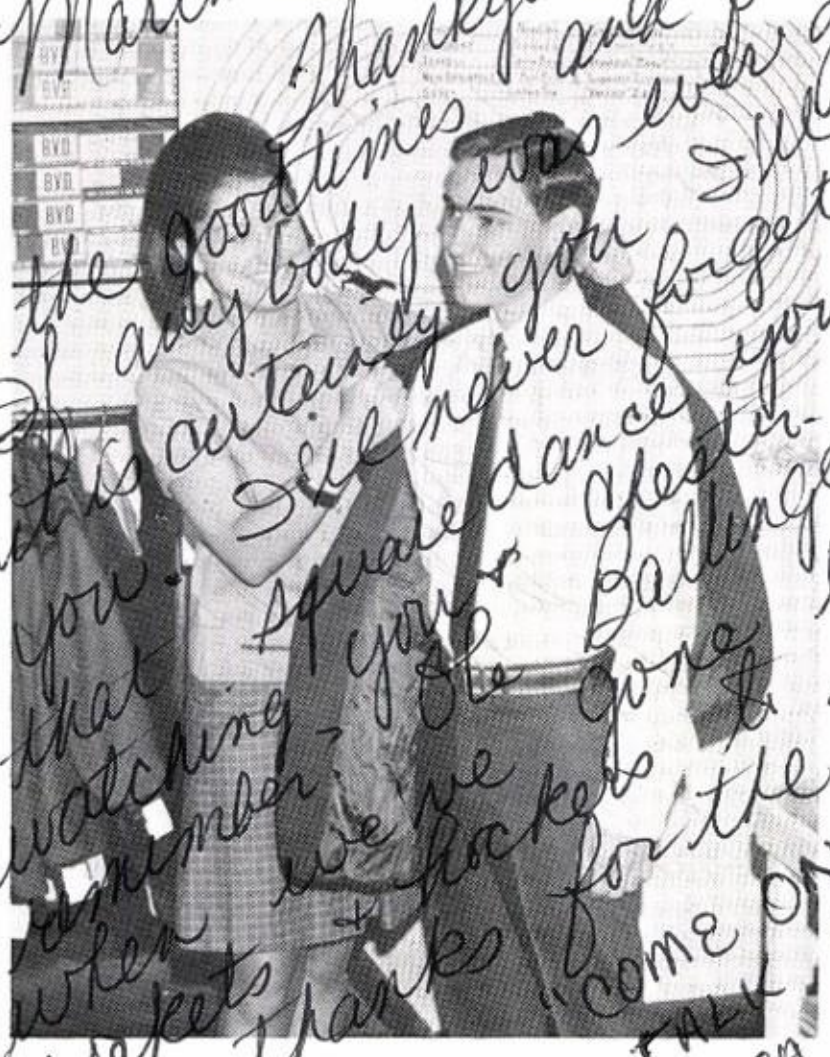

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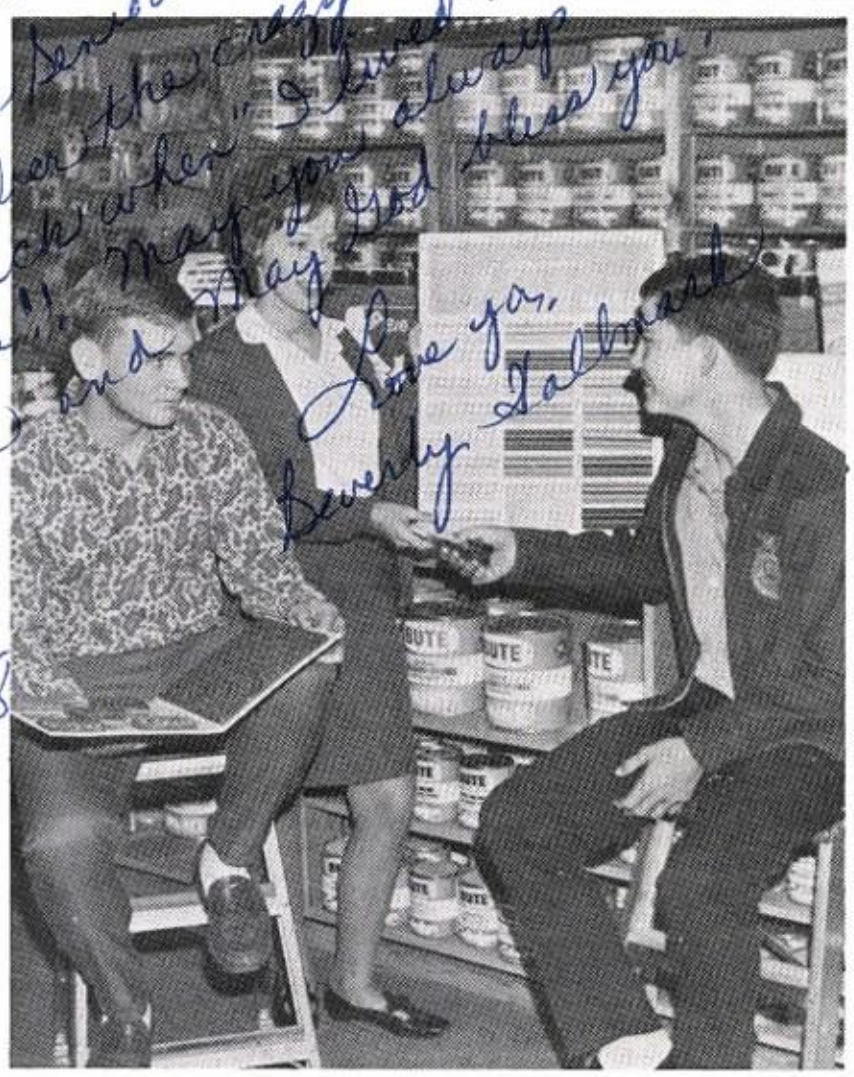

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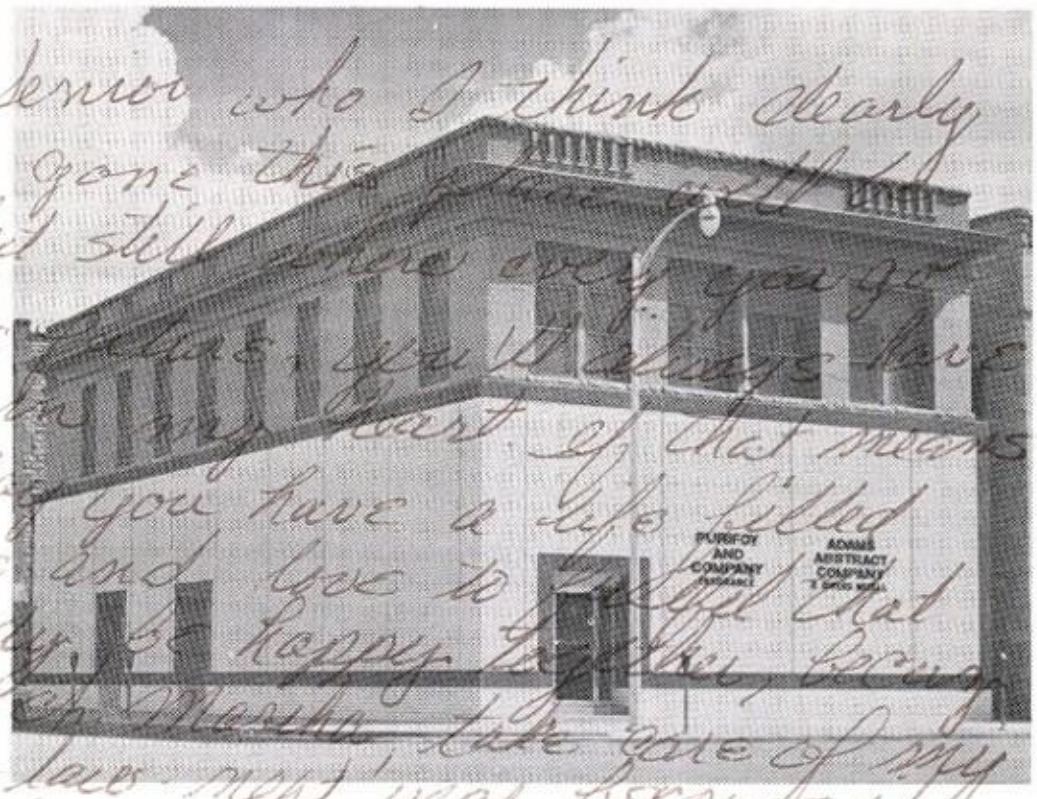

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Martha,

Sister, I can't believe we're getting out of school. It's almost unreal. It seems like only yesterday we were silly little kids in Junior High. Next year we'll be off to college. I know we're gonna have a great time living together even if it is only in San Angelo. We'll liven that town up!

There just aren't words to tell you what you mean to me. We've had so many good times together. It would be impossible to write even half of them down on this page. We've always kidded about being "sisters", well, I guess next year we will be. I'm so glad we're rooming together. That way we'll always have some one to tell all our problems & secrets to. I've always been able to trust you with anything I didn't want anyone else to know. I want you to know that I appreciate all you've done for me & for being so understanding.

Maybe one of these days we'll get those beautiful little diamonds to wear on our left hand. I hope everything you & Andy plan for turns out perfect. Ya'll will make a darling couple. Andy's a lucky guy to have you & I'm sure he'll treat you like a queen. He better! or I'll have a little talk with him. HA. It seems hopeless now, but one of these days Dale & I will be coming to visit you & Andy (& all the kids) HA. I honestly can't wait for that day. Maybe then we can go to the "Boots" together!

Well, I thought I was ready to graduate, but now I'm getting so sad about leaving old BHS & Dr. Forester! We've had so many great times in this old red building. I bet next year we don't get passes out! HA. I can't believe we never got caught as many times as we left. We're just pretty cool!

I guess we'll have our "Britt's Place" one of these days too. We'll be famous! & rich!

Martha, I want to wish you the very best life has to offer. You truly deserve it. May God Bless You!

I love you,
Debbie (SISTER)

Dale
&
Debbie

Andy
&
Martha

SENIORS
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Martha,

We finally made it. After all the near misses we did it. No more will we be pushed around or called names or told what to do!

I can't believe that all this wonderful part of our lives is going to end. We've waited so long but do we really want it to end?

In a couple of weeks we'll walk out of these doors never again to walk back as a member of this school. We will be able to take the school out of us. We have learned many [illegible]

I hope college holds a world of wonderful tomorrows for you and that your every dream and wish will come true.

Don't ever forget me because we've shared so much [illegible]

I hope you marry the first negro that loves him only [illegible]

Be good. "Come on in and we'll talk about it"

Love ya
Debra
(Hooker)

Hail, Hail, the gangs all here
Right behind the Bearcats.
Hail, Hail, the gangs all here
Right behind the Bearcats now.
Bearcats, Bearcats, come on through
We are right behind you.
Bearcats, Bearcats, come on through
We are right behind you now.

Here's a toast to those old Bearcats,
Hail to the grand old boys;
Fight, fight is our motto; fight until the end.
If you think we don,t have spirt, just watch
the grand old drive
Fight, fight, until the end and victory is ours.